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COMPANY NAMES: ACT Teleconferencing Inc; Adobe Systems Inc; 3M Co; Advanced Micro Devices Inc; Apple Computer Inc; Belden CDT Inc; Bogen Communications International Inc; Calcomp Technology Inc; Cisco Systems Inc; DCS Group PLC; Dana Corp; Focus Enhancements Inc; Ford Motor Co; Hauser Inc; International Organization for Standardization; Microsoft Corp; Orion Oyj; Pegasus Group PLC; Polycom Keller AG; Inc; Radvision Ltd; Robert Bosch GmbH; Rusconi Editore SpA; TM Group Holdings PLC; Unisys Corp; United Nations; W SCRIPTORS: Arts Antiques & amp; Collecting; Westbury PLC DESCRIPTORS: Awards; Company News; Orders; Corporate Finance; Crimes; Education Contracts & amp; New & Training; Expenditure; Facilities & amp; Equipment; General News Health & amp; Healthcare; International Affairs; Government News; Products & Services; Product Management; Marketing; New Production; Quality Management; Service & amp; Product Use; Social Welfare & Social Services; Strategy; Trade Fairs & amp; Exhibitions AU) ; Canada (CA) ; China (CN) ; ; Mexico (MX) ; Netherlands (NL) ; Australia (AU) ; COUNTRY NAMES/CODES: France (FR) Denmark (DK) ; Norway (NO) Singapore (SG); Switzerland (CH); Taiwan (TW); United Kingdom (GB); United States of America (US) Americas; Asia; Australasia; Central America; Europe; Latin North America; South East Asia; Western Europe REGIONS: America; PROVINCE/STATE: California; Colorado; England; Florida: Indiana; New Jersey; New York; Ohio; Oregon; Minnesota; Texas SIC CODES/DESCRIPTIONS: 3663 (Radio & amp; TV Communications Equipment); 3571 (Electronic Computers); 9721 (International Affairs); 3577 (Computer Peripheral Equipment NEC); 7372 (Prepackaged Software); 3679 (Electronic Components NEC); 4813 (Telephone Communications Ex Radio); 9651 (Regulation of Miscellaneous Commercial Sectors); 9411 (Administration of Educational Programs); 4810 (Telephone Communications); 5731 (Radio Television & amp; Electronic Stores); 8730 (Research & amp; Testing Services); 3570 (Computer & amp; Office Equipment); 7371 (Computer Programming Services); 3651 (Household Audio & amp; Video Equipment); 4911 (Electric Services); 8211 (Elementary & Decondary Schools); 2500 (Furniture & amp; Fixtures); 4812 (Radiotelephone Communications); 3728 (Aircraft Parts & amp; Equipment NEC); 7389 (Business Services NEC); 4581 (Airports Flying Fields & amp; Services); 3861 (Photographic Equipment & Supplies); 7812 (Motion Picture & Video Tape Production); 3639 (Household Appliances NEC); 9211 (Courts); 5735 (Record & Prerecorded Tape Stores); 8661 (Religious Organizations); 8712 (Architectural Services); 3660 (Communications Equipment); 9700 (National Security & Equipment); 100 (National Affairs); 2711 (Newspapers); 3670 (Electronic Components) & Accessories); 9611 (Administration of General Economic Programs); 5720 (Household Appliance Stores); 8100 (Legal Services); 8200 (Educational Services); 3720 (Aircraft & amp; Parts); 8999 (Services NEC); 4789 (Transportation Services NEC); 3580 (Refrigeration & amp; Service Machinery); 7810 (Motion Picture Production & amp; Services); 3640 (Electric Lighting & Diring Equipment); 9200 (Justice Public Order & Safety); 4800 (Communications); 5940 (Miscellaneous Shopping Goods Stores); 8399 (Social Services NEC); 8713 (Surveying Services); 9100 (Executive Legislative & amp; General); 3700 (Transportation Equipment); 3500 (Industrial Machinery & amp; Equipment); 7300 (Business Services); 4200 (Trucking & Warehousing) NAICS CODES/DESCRIPTIONS: 9261 (Admin of Economic Programs); 92311 (Admin of Education Programs); 923 (Admin of Human Resource Programs); 33641

(Aerospace Product & amp; Parts Mfg); 4881 (Air Transportation Support

Activities); 48811 (Airport Operations); 44311 (Appliance TV & Der Other Electronics Stores); 5413 (Architectural Engineering & amp; Related Services); 54131 (Architectural Services); 3343 (Audio & amp; Video Equipment Mfg); 4512 (Book Periodical & amp; Music Stores); 513 (Broadcasting & amp; Telecommunications); 513322 (Cellular & amp; Other Wireless Telecommunications); 33331 (Commercial & amp; Service Industry Machinery Mfq); 3342 (Communications Equipment Mfg); 334 (Computer & Computer Electronic Product Mfg); 3341 (Computer & Equipment Mfg); 54151 (Computer Systems Design & amp; Related Services); 92211 (Courts); 611 (Educational Services); 2211 (Electric Power Generation Transmission & Distribution); 335 (Electrical Equipment Appliance & Component Mfg); 334111 (Electronic Computer Mfg); 443 (Electronics & amp; Appliance Stores); 61111 (Elementary & amp; Secondary Schools); 337 (Furniture & amp; Related Product Mfg); 3352 (Household Appliance Mfg); 51 (Information); 92812 (International Affairs); 922 (Justice Public Order & amp; Safety Activities); 333 (Machinery Mfg); 512 (Motion Picture & amp; Sound Recording Industries); 5121 (Motion Picture & amp; Video Industries); 51211 (Motion Picture & amp; Video Production); 928 (National Security & International Affairs); 336413 (Other Aircraft Part & Auxiliary Equipment Mfg); 334119 (Other Computer Peripheral Equipment Mfg); 334419 (Other Electronic Component Mfg); 81 (Other Services exc Public Admin); 333315 (Photographic & amp; Photocopying Equipment Mfg); 45122 (Prerecorded Tape CD & amp; Record Stores); 541 (Professional Scientific & Technical Services); 92 (Public Admin); 511 (Publishing Industries) ; 33422 (Radio TV Broadcast & amp; Wireless Communications Equipment Mfg); 443112 (Radio Television & amp; Other Electronics Stores); 92615 (Regulation Licensing & amp; Inspection of Miscellaneous Commercial Sectors); 813 (Religious Grantmaking Professional & amp; Like Organizations); 81311 (Religious Organizations); 54171 (Research & amp; Development in Physical Engineering & amp; Life Sciences); 44 (Retail Trade); 5417 (Scientific Research & amp; Development Services); 3344 (Semiconductor & amp; Other Electronic Component Mfg); 51121 (Software Publishers); 5122 (Sound Recording Industries); 51224 (Sound Recording Studios); 451 (Sporting Goods Hobby Book & amp; Music Stores); 5133 (Telecommunications); 51333 (Telecommunications Resellers); 48 (Transportation & amp; Warehousing); 336 (Transportation Equipment Mfg); 488 (Transportation Support Activities); 221 (Utilities); 51331 (Wired Telecommunications Carriers); 51332 (Wireless Telecom Carriers exc Satellite)

1/8/3 (Item 2 from file: 20)

49307548 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT) GLOBALCOMM 2006 Exhibitor Profiles June 01, 2006 WORD COUNT: 11251

COMPANY NAMES: 3Com Corp; ADC Telecommunications Inc; Advanced Micro Devices Inc; Agilent Technologies Inc; Applied Micro Circuits Corp; Avaya Inc; Aztech Systems Ltd; BEA Systems Inc; Belgacom NV; Brasil Telecom Participacoes SA; CIENA Corp; Cable & amp; Wireless PLC; China Unicom Ltd; Cie Financiere Alcatel; Cisco Systems Inc; Comcast Corp; Communications Group Inc; Cox Communications Inc; DSET Corp; Danaher Corp; EMC Corp; Earthlink Inc; Echostar Communications Corp FLAG Telecom Group Ltd; Falcon Communications; European Union; Foundry Networks Inc; Frost & amp; Sullivan; Fujitsu Ltd; Gateway Inc IBM Corp; Ilog SA; Intel Corp; Interface Inc; International Organization for Standardization; International Telecommunication Union John Menzies PLC; Legrand; MRV Communications Inc; Matsushita Electric Industrial Co Ltd; MetaSolv Inc; Metro AG; Microsoft Corp;

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Netopia Inc; Nexans SA; Nortel Networks Corp; Optibase Ltd; RadiSys
  Corp; Redback Networks Inc;
                                  Sanmina-SCI Corp; Scientific-Atlanta Inc;
                             Telecommunications Ltd; Sprint Nextel Corp;
  Siemens AG;
                  Singapore
    Stockholmsborsen AB;
                              Swisscom AG; Sycamore Networks Inc; T-Mobile
                      TELUS Corp; TM Group Holdings PLC; Tata Motors Ltd;
  International AG;
                       Telco Systems Inc; Telstra Corp Ltd; Toshiba Corp;
   Tatung Co Ltd;
             Pan-Europe Communications NV;
                                               Verizon Communications Inc;
    United
                         ZyXEL Communications Corp
   Vodafone Group PLC;
DESCRIPTORS:
               Awards; Company Management; Company News; Contracts & amp;
                                          Economic News;
  New Orders;
                   Corporate Finance;
                                                             Education & amp;
                                Facilities & amp; Equipment; General News;
  Training;
                Expenditure;
                         Health & amp; Healthcare; International Affairs; arket Share; Marketing; Meetings; New Products
    Government News;
    Joint Ventures;
                       Market
  & Services; Production;
                                  Quality Management; Sales; Science & amp;
  Technology; Strategy; Trade Fairs & amp; Exhibitions
COUNTRY NAMES/CODES: Australia (AU) ; Brazil (BR) ; Canada (CA) ; China
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    (SE); Taiwan (TW); United Kingdom (GB); United States of America
REGIONS:
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            North America;
                               South America; South Asia; South East Asia;
  East;
  Western Europe
PROVINCE/STATE:
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   Illinois;
 New York;
              Ontario; Texas
                         3571 (Electronic Computers); 3663 (Radio & amp; TV
SIC CODES/DESCRIPTIONS:
  Communications Equipment); 3674 (Semiconductors & amp; Related Devices);
  3711 (Motor Vehicles & amp; Car Bodies); 6282 (Investment Advice); 4812
  (Radiotelephone Communications); 7372 (Prepackaged Software); 3570
  (Computer & amp; Office Equipment); 3660 (Communications Equipment); 3661
  (Telephone & amp; Telegraph Apparatus); 4813 (Telephone Communications Ex
  Radio); 9621 (Regulation Administration of Transportation); 1500 (General
  Building Contractors); 3700 (Transportation Equipment); 7812 (Motion
  Picture & amp; Video Tape Production); 8699 (Membership Organizations NEC)
  ; 3651 (Household Audio & Video Equipment); 9631 (Regulation
 Administration of Utilities); 8730 (Research & Samp; Testing Services); 5045 (Computers Peripherals & Software); 3639 (Household Appliances NEC); 3572 (Computer Storage Devices); 1521 (Single-Family Housing
 Construction); 4841 (Cable & amp; Other Pay Television Services); 7371
 (Computer Programming Services); 9721 (International Affairs); 9411
  (Administration of Educational Programs); 7389 (Business Services NEC);
  4810 (Telephone Communications); 8721 (Accounting Auditing & amp;
  Bookkeeping Services); 3577 (Computer Peripheral Equipment NEC); 7375
  (Information Retrieval Services); 8230 (Libraries); 5731 (Radio
  Television & amp; Electronic Stores); 3670 (Electronic Components & amp;
 Accessories); 3710 (Motor Vehicles & amp; Equipment); 6211 (Security
  Brokers & amp; Dealers); 2711 (Newspapers); 9611 (Administration of
  General Economic Programs); 7810 (Motion Picture Production & amp;
  Services); 8399 (Social Services NEC); 5040 (Professional & amp;
  Commercial Equipment); 3640 (Electric Lighting & amp; Wiring Equipment);
  4800 (Communications); 8100 (Legal Services); 9700 (National Security
  & amp; International Affairs); 7300 (Business Services); 7370 (Computer
  & amp; Data Processing Services); 5720 (Household Appliance Stores); 5000
  (Wholesale Trade Durable Goods); 9100 (Executive Legislative & amp;
  General); 8741 (Management Services); 6000 (Depository Institutions);
  5940 (Miscellaneous Shopping Goods Stores)
NAICS CODES/DESCRIPTIONS: 54121 (Accounting Tax Preparation Bookkeeping
  Payroll Services); 56 (Admin & amp; Support & amp; Waste Management & amp;
  Remediation Services); 561 (Admin & amp; Support Services); 9261 (Admin of
  Economic Programs); 92311 (Admin of Education Programs); 923 (Admin of
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Human Resource Programs); 44311 (Appliance TV & amp; Other Electronics Stores); 3343 (Audio & amp; Video Equipment Mfg); 33611 (Automobile & amp; Light Duty Motor Vehicle Mfg); 336111 (Automobile Mfg); 513 (Broadcasting & Telecommunications); 233 (Building Developing & General Contracting); 5614 (Business Support Services); 51321 (Cable Networks); 5132 (Cable Networks & amp; Program Distribution); 513322 (Cellular & amp; Other Wireless Telecommunications); 3342 (Communications Equipment Mfg); 334 (Computer & amp; Electronic Product Mfg); 42143 (Computer & amp; Peripheral Equipment & amp; Software Whsle); 3341 (Computer & amp; Peripheral Equipment Mfg); 334112 (Computer Storage Device Mfg); 54151 (Computer Systems Design & amp; Related Services); 23 (Construction); 335 (Electrical Equipment Appliance & amp; Component Mfg); 334111 (Electronic Computer Mfg); 443 (Electronics & amp; Appliance Stores); 813312 (Environment & amp; Wildlife Organizations); 52 (Finance & amp; Insurance); 3352 (Household Appliance Mfg); 51 (Information); 514 (Information & Camp; Data Processing Services); 5141 (Information Services); 92812 (International Affairs); 512 (Motion Picture & Damp; Sound Recording Industries); 5121 (Motion Picture & amp; Video Industries); 51211 (Motion Picture & amp; Video Production); 3361 (Motor Vehicle Mfg); 928 (National Security & amp; International Affairs); 514191 (On-Line Information Services); 334119 (Other Computer Peripheral Equipment Mfg); 5239 (Other Financial Investment Activities); 51419 (Other Information Services); 81 (Other Services exc Public Admin); 52392 (Portfolio Management); 4214 (Professional & Commercial Equipment & Supplies Whsle); 541 (Professional Scientific & amp; Technical Services); 92 (Public Admin); 511 (Publishing Industries); 33422 (Radio TV Broadcast & amp; Wireless Communications Equipment Mfg); 443112 (Radio Television & Camp; Other Electronics Stores); 92612 (Regulation & amp; Admin of Transportation Programs); 92613 (Regulation & amp; Admin of Utilities); 813 (Religious Grantmaking Professional & amp; Like Organizations); 54171 (Research & amp; Development in Physical Engineering & amp; Life Sciences); 2332 (Residential Building Construction); 44 (Retail Trade); 51334 (Satellite Telecommunications); 5417 (Scientific Research & Development Services); 523 (Security Commodity Contracts & amp; Like Activity); 3344 (Semiconductor & Other Electronic Component Mfg); 334413 (Semiconductor & amp; Related Device Mfg); 81331 (Social Advocacy Organizations); 51121 (Software Publishers); 5133 (Telecommunications); 33421 (Telephone Apparatus Mfg); 56142 (Telephone Call Centers); 336 (Transportation Equipment Mfg); 42 (Wholesale Trade); 421 (Wholesale Trade Durable Goods); 51331 (Wired Telecommunications Carriers); 51332 (Wireless Telecom Carriers exc Satellite)

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46562211 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT) NRF Annual Convention 2006 Exhibitor Profiles January 12, 2006 WORD COUNT: 8030

DESCRIPTORS: Company News; Marketing; New Products & Describes; Trade Fairs & Exhibitions
PROVINCE/STATE: PWC_Saved_Search

1/8/5 (Item 4 from file: 20)

46394146 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT) 2006 International CES Exhibitor Profiles January 03, 2006 WORD COUNT: 23592

Federal Communications Commission USA; COMPANY NAMES: European Union; Office of the Comptroller of the Currency US Company News; Marketing; New Products & amp; Services; DESCRIPTORS: Trade Fairs & amp; Exhibitions COUNTRY NAMES/CODES: United Kingdom (GB); United States of America (US) REGIONS: Americas; Europe; North America; Western Europe 1/8/6 (Item 5 from file: 20) 42691185 InfoComm 2005 Exhibitor Profiles June 02, 2005 WORD COUNT: 11124 3M Co; ACT Teleconferencing Inc; ADTRAN Inc; AMP Ltd; COMPANY NAMES: Technologies Inc; Advance Synergy Capital Bhd; American Power Conversion Corp; Amphenol Corp; Arel Communications & Camp; Software Ltd; Aris Corp; Avermedia Technologies Inc; Avid Technology Inc; Avocent Corp; Bogen Communications International Inc; Casio Computer Co Ltd; Casio Electronics Co Ltd; ClearOne Communications Inc; DCS Group PLC; Dai Nippon Printing Co Ltd; Elan Corp PLC; GPI; Hitachi Ltd; Idex Corp; Interface Inc; International Organization for Standardization; Mitsubishi Electric Corp; NKK Corp; NM Rothschild & amp; Sons Ltd; Orion Oyj; Paris Corp; Quantum Corp; Sirius Satellite Radio Inc; TM Group Holdings PLC; United Parcel Service Inc; VCON Telecommunications Ltd; V CON Telecommunications Ltd DESCRIPTORS: Arts Antiques & amp; Collecting; Awards; Company News; Education & amp; Training; Environment; Facilities Corporate Finance; & Equipment; General News; Government News; Government Spending; Human Resources & amp; Employment; Marketing; Meetings; New Products Opinion Polls; Patents Licensing & amp; Standards; & Services; Pollution & amp; Waste; Product Management; Production; Research & Development; Strategy; Trade Fairs & Exhibitions COUNTRY NAMES/CODES: Australia (AU) ; Belgium (BE); Canada (CA); China (CN); Denmark (DK); Finland (FI); France (FR); Germany (DE) ; Hong Kong (HK) ; Japan (JP) ; Lithuania (LT) ; Norway (NO) ; Singapore (SG); South Korea (KR); Sweden (SE); Switzerland (CH); Thailand (TH); United Arab Emirates (AE); United Kingdom (GB);

United States of America (US)
REGIONS: Americas; Arabian States; Asia; Australasia; Europe; Former
USSR; Gulf States; Middle East; North America; South East Asia;
Western Europe

PROVINCE/STATE: Alberta; Arizona; California; Colorado; Missouri; New Jersey; Ohio; Texas; Utah

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SIC CODES/DESCRIPTIONS: 3571 (Electronic Computers); 4000 (Railroad Transportation); 6210 (Security Brokers & Dealers); 3674
(Semiconductors & Dealers); 8999 (Services NEC); 7372
(Prepackaged Software); 3577 (Computer Peripheral Equipment NEC); 8230
(Libraries); 7375 (Information Retrieval Services); 8711 (Engineering Services); 3600 (Electronic & Dealers); 000
(Furniture & Dealers); 6300 (Insurance Carriers); 5735 (Record & Dealers); Prerecorded Tape Stores); 5813 (Drinking Places); 4833 (Television Broadcasting Stations); 3572 (Computer Storage Devices); 2700 (Printing & Dealers); 9411 (Administration of Educational Programs); 3861 (Photographic Equipment & Dealers); 3873 (Watches Clocks Watchcases & Dealers); 8699 (Membership Organizations NEC); 9511 (Air Water & Dealers); Solid Waste Management); 3679 (Electronic Components NEC); 3651 (Household Audio & Dealers); Video Equipment); 3660 (Communications Equipment); 5045 (Computers Peripherals & Dealers); 7373 (Computer Integrated)

Systems Design); 4810 (Telephone Communications); 4812 (Radiotelephone Communications); 5812 (Eating Places); 7999 (Amusement & Decreation Services NEC); 3210 (Flat Glass); 7812 (Motion Picture & amp; Video Tape Production); 6722 (Management Investment Open-End); 5141 (Groceries General Line); 4841 (Cable & amp; Other Pay Television Services); 9211 (Courts); 8412 (Museums & amp; Art Galleries); 4581 (Airports Flying Fields & amp; Services); 5999 (Miscellaneous Retail Stores NEC); 5961 (Catalog & Mail Order Houses); 4813 (Telephone Communications Ex Radio); 3570 (Computer & amp; Office Equipment); 4200 (Trucking & amp; Warehousing); 3670 (Electronic Components & amp; Accessories); 2711 (Newspapers); 7370 (Computer & Data Processing Services); 8713 (Surveying Services); 3600 (Electronic & amp; Other Electronic Equipment); 5940 (Miscellaneous Shopping Goods Stores); 4800 (Communications); 3580 (Refrigeration & amp; Service Machinery); 3820 (Measuring & amp; Controlling Devices); 8399 (Social Services NEC); 9510 (Environmental Quality); 5040 (Professional & amp; Commercial Equipment); 7371 (Computer Programming Services); 7900 (Amusement & amp; Recreation Services); 7810 (Motion Picture Production & amp; Services); 5149 (Groceries & amp; Related Products NEC); 9200 (Justice Public Order & amp; Safety); 4789 (Transportation Services NEC); 5990 (Retail Stores NEC); 5960 (Nonstore Retailers); 8100 (Legal Services); 6000 (Depository Institutions); 7000 (Hotels & Other Lodging Places); 3500 (Industrial Machinery & Equipment); 5000 (Wholesale Trade Durable Goods); 6371 (Pension Health & Welfare Funds); 5100 (Wholesale Trade Nondurable Goods); 9100 (Executive Legislative & amp; General); 5300 (General Merchandise Stores); 3640 (Electric Lighting & Wiring Equipment); 7300 (Business Services) NAICS CODES/DESCRIPTIONS: 72 (Accommodation & amp; Food Services); 92411 (Admin of Air Water Resource & amp; Solid Waste Management Programs); 92311 (Admin of Education Programs); 9241 (Admin of Environmental Quality Programs); 923 (Admin of Human Resource Programs); 4881 (Air Transportation Support Activities); 48811 (Airport Operations); 33599 (All Other Electrical Equipment & amp; Component Mfg); 453998 (All Other Misc Store Retailers exc Tobacco); 335999 (All Other Miscellaneous Electrical Equipment & amp; Component Mfg); 45399 (All Other Miscellaneous Store Retailers); 713 (Amusement Gambling & Damp; Recreation Industries); 5413 (Architectural Engineering & amp; Related Services); 71 (Arts Entertainment & amp; Recreation); 3343 (Audio & amp; Video Equipment Mfg); 4512 (Book Periodical & amp; Music Stores); 513 (Broadcasting & amp; Telecommunications); 51321 (Cable Networks); 5132 (Cable Networks & amp; Program Distribution); 71321 (Casinos exc Hotel Casinos); 513322 (Cellular & Other Wireless Telecommunications); 33331 (Commercial & Service Industry Machinery Mfg); 3342 (Communications Equipment Mfg); 334 (Computer & amp; Electronic Product Mfg); 42143 (Computer & amp; Peripheral Equipment & amp; Software Whsle); 3341 (Computer & amp; Peripheral Equipment Mfg); 334112 (Computer Storage Device Mfg); 54151 (Computer Systems Design & amp; Related Services); 541512 (Computer Systems Design Services); 92211 (Courts); 72241 (Drinking Places Alcoholic Beverages); 335 (Electrical Equipment Appliance & amp; Component Mfg); 334111 (Electronic Computer Mfg); 45411 (Electronic Shopping & amp; Mail-Order Houses); 54133 (Engineering Services); 813312 (Environment & Wildlife Organizations); 52 (Finance & Insurance); 722 (Food Services & amp; Drinking Places); 525 (Funds Trusts & amp; Other Financial Vehicles); 337 (Furniture & amp; Related Product Mfg); 7132 (Gambling Industries); 42241 (General Line Grocery Whsle); 32721 (Glass & amp; Glass Product Mfg); 4224 (Grocery & amp; Related Product Whsle); 51 (Information); 514 (Information & amp; Data Processing Services); 5141 (Information Services); 5241 (Insurance Carriers); 524 (Insurance Carriers & amp; Related Activities); 922 (Justice Public Order & amp; Safety Activities); 72221 (Limited-Service Eating Places); 722211 (Limited-Service Restaurants); 333 (Machinery Mfg); 52391 (Miscellaneous Intermediation); 453 (Miscellaneous Store Retailers); 512 (Motion Picture

& Sound Recording Industries); 5121 (Motion Picture & Video Industries); 51211 (Motion Picture & amp; Video Production); 71211 (Museums); 7121 (Museums Historical Sites & amp; Like Institutions); 3345 (Navigating Measuring Medical Control Instruments Mfg); 454 (Nonstore Retailers); 514191 (On-Line Information Services); 52591 (Open-End Investment Funds); 334119 (Other Computer Peripheral Equipment Mfg); 3359 (Other Electrical Equipment & amp; Component Mfg); 334419 (Other Electronic Component Mfg); 5239 (Other Financial Investment Activities); 51419 (Other Information Services); 5259 (Other Investment Pools & amp; Funds); 81 (Other Services exc Public Admin); 333315 (Photographic & Camp; Photocopying Equipment Mfg); 45122 (Prerecorded Tape CD & amp; Record Stores); 323 (Printing & amp; Related Support Activities); 4214 (Professional & amp; Commercial Equipment & amp; Supplies Whsle); 541 (Professional Scientific & amp; Technical Services); 92 (Public Admin); 511 (Publishing Industries); 48211 (Rail Transportation); 813 (Religious Grantmaking Professional & amp; Like Organizations); 44 (Retail Trade); 523 (Security Commodity Contracts & amp; Like Activity); 3344 (Semiconductor & amp; Other Electronic Component Mfg); 334413 (Semiconductor & amp; Related Device Mfg); 81331 (Social Advocacy Organizations); 51121 (Software Publishers); 5122 (Sound Recording Industries); 451 (Sporting Goods Hobby Book & amp; Music Stores); 5133 (Telecommunications); 51312 (Television Broadcasting); 48 (Transportation & Warehousing); 488 (Transportation Support Activities); 334518 (Watch Clock & amp; Part Mfg); 42 (Wholesale Trade); 421 (Wholesale Trade Durable Goods); 422 (Wholesale Trade Nondurable Goods); 51331 (Wired Telecommunications Carriers); 51332 (Wireless Telecom Carriers exc Satellite)

1/8/7 (Item 6 from file: 20)

39919931 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
2005 International CES Exhibitor Profiles, M Through Z
January 05, 2005
WORD COUNT: 9008

COUNTRY NAMES/CODES: United Kingdom (GB); United States of America (US) REGIONS: Americas; Europe; North America; Western Europe SIC CODES/DESCRIPTIONS: 7383 (News Syndicates); 8230 (Libraries); 7370 (Computer & Amp; Data Processing Services); 2711 (Newspapers) NAICS CODES/DESCRIPTIONS: 51 (Information); 514 (Information & Amp; Data Processing Services); 5141 (Information Services); 51411 (News Syndicates)

1/8/8 (Item 7 from file: 20)

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PR Newswire Summary of High Tech Copy, July 26, 2004
July 26, 2004
WORD COUNT: 3884

COMPANY NAMES: 2Wire Inc; AVEVA Group PLC; Advanced Energy Industries Micro Devices Inc; American Power Conversion Corp; Inc; Advanced Ascential Software Corp; Ask Jeeves Inc; Arrow Electronics Inc; Inc; Avaya Inc; BearingPoint Inc; Bell Microproducts Inc; Autodesk CSG Systems International Inc; Citrix Systems Inc; Bellsouth Corp; Computer Sciences Corp; Continental Airlines Inc; CyberSource Corp; Delta Singular SA; Deutsche Telekom AG; Dionics DoubleClick Inc; EMC Corp; Earthlink Inc; Federal Bureau of Investigation US; Filenet Corp; First Data Corp; France Telecom SA;

Electronic Publishers; Gateway Inc; Google Inc; HEI Inc; Franklin IBM Corp; Infonow; Intel Corp; International Group PLC; Hilton Microcomputer Software Inc; Interoute Telecommunications PLC; Jet Multimedia; LSI Logic Corp; Liberty Group Ltd; Loudeye Corp; MIPS Technology Inc; MKS Instruments Inc; MSC. Software Corp; Marconi Corp PLC; Matsushita Electric Industrial Co Ltd; Morgan Stanley; Motorola Inc; NVIDIA Corp; Nam Tai Electronics Inc; Overland Storage Inc; Pearson Education Ltd; PeopleSoft Inc; Performance Technologies Inc; Postini Inc; PricewaterhouseCoopers International Ltd; Proxicom Inc; Qualcomm Inc; RSA Security Inc; Radware Ltd; Rohm & amp; Haas Co; Ryan Beck & amp; Co; SCO Group Inc; Saab AB; Seagate Technology LLC; Spescom Ltd; Sprint Corp; Synaptics Inc; TMTouch; Tata Consultancy Services Ltd; Tech Laboratories Inc; Tektronix Inc; Toshiba Corp; Triton PCS Holdings Inc; Trend Micro Inc; United States Army; ValueClick Inc; VeriSign Inc; Verity Inc; Verizon Communications Inc; Verizon Wireless Messaging Services LLC; Vodafone Group PLC; Westbury PLC; XM Satellite Radio Inc; Xyratex; Ziff Davis Media Inc; Zurich Financial Services Group DESCRIPTORS: Appointments; Awards; Board Changes; Company Management; Company News; Contracts & amp; New Orders; Corporate Finance; Crimes; Dividends; Education & amp; Training; Forecasts & amp; Predictions; Foreign Exchange Markets; General News; Government News; Health & Healthcare; Human Resources & Employment; Interim Results; Joint Ventures; Law & Legal Issues; Market News; Marketing; National Security; Markets; Meetings; Name Changes; Natural New Products & amp; Resources; Services; Patents Licensing & amp; Product Management; Standards: Political Parties; Politics: Quality Production; Management; Research & amp; Development; Resources Management; Results; Science & amp; Technology; Small Business; Sports; Strategy COUNTRY NAMES/CODES: Aruba (AW); Canada (CA); China (CN); France (FR Germany (DE); Greece (GR); Hong Kong (HK); Israel (IL); Italy (IT); Japan (JP); Spain (ES); Switzerland (CH); United States of America (US) Americas; Caribbean; REGIONS: Asia; Europe; Middle East; North America; Western Europe California; Colorado; District_of_Columbia; PROVINCE/STATE: Arizona; Faro; Florida; Indiana; Massachusetts; Michigan; Minnesota; Missouri; Nevada; New Jersey; New York; North_Carolina; Ohio; Pennsylvania; Rhode Island; Shanghai; South_Carolina; Oklahoma; Texas; Utah; Virginia; Washington; Wisconsin SIC CODES/DESCRIPTIONS: 3571 (Electronic Computers); 3711 (Motor Vehicles & Car Bodies); 8999 (Services NEC); 3674 (Semiconductors & Related Devices); 3663 (Radio & amp; TV Communications Equipment); 7372 (Prepackaged Software); 3570 (Computer & amp; Office Equipment); 4812 (Radiotelephone Communications); 8221 (Colleges & amp; Universities); 4841 (Cable & amp; Other Pay Television Services); 8010 (Offices & amp; Clinics of Medical Doctors); 4911 (Electric Services); 2721 (Periodicals); 7311 (Advertising Agencies); 9221 (Police Protection); 8711 (Engineering Services); 4512 (Air Transportation Scheduled); 7812 (Motion Picture & Video Tape Production); 9711 (National Security); 9199 (General Government NEC); 3572 (Computer Storage Devices); 8060 (Hospitals); 8062 (General Medical & Eamp; Surgical Hospitals); 6719 (Holding Companies NEC); 9311 (Finance Taxation & Amp; Monetary Policy); 4813 (Telephone Communications Ex Radio); 4810 (Telephone Communications); 2821 (Plastics Materials & Ex Radio); 3660 (Communications Equipment); 9651 (Regulation of Miscellaneous Commercial Sectors); 8743 (Public Relations Services); 2711 (Newspapers); 8721 (Accounting Auditing & Dookkeeping Services); 5045 (Computers Peripherals & amp; Software); 5961 (Catalog & Mail Order Houses); 5731 (Radio Television & Electronic Stores) ; 7375 (Information Retrieval Services); 3873 (Watches Clocks Watchcases

& Parts); 8230 (Libraries); 3700 (Transportation Equipment); 3639 (Household Appliances NEC); 8730 (Research & amp; Testing Services); 9111 (Executive Offices); 8071 (Medical Laboratories); 3710 (Motor Vehicles & Equipment); 3670 (Electronic Components & Accessories); 8200 (Educational Services); 4800 (Communications); 7310 (Advertising); 9200 (Justice Public Order & amp; Safety); 8713 (Surveying Services); 4500 (Transportation by Air); 7810 (Motion Picture Production & amp; Services); 9700 (National Security & amp; International Affairs); 9100 (Executive Legislative & amp; General); 8000 (Health Services); 6710 (Holding Offices); 9611 (Administration of General Economic Programs); 5040 (Professional & amp; Commercial Equipment); 5960 (Nonstore Retailers); 5720 (Household Appliance Stores); 3820 (Measuring & amp; Controlling Devices); 7370 (Computer & amp; Data Processing Services); 3640 (Electric Lighting & amp; Wiring Equipment); 8070 (Medical & amp; Dental Laboratories); 8100 (Legal Services); 4200 (Trucking & amp; Warehousing); 5000 (Wholesale Trade Durable Goods); 5940 (Miscellaneous Shopping Goods Stores); 2899 (Chemical Preparations NEC)

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notebook PCs available with Asset ID, IBM's radio frequency-based security and asset tracking technology. The new ThinkPad 770Z and 600E notebook PCs available with Asset ID provide companies with unparalleled security protection, while also allowing them to rapidly deploy systems to employees and conveniently track their notebook PC inventory. IBM's Asset ID solution combines a radio frequency (RF) ID tag and a handheld RF scanner to read and store vital information about every Asset ID-enabled ThinkPad 770Z and 600E in a company's inventory -- even if the notebooks are unplugged or still in their cartons. This helps protect valuable mobile computer assets from theft or unauthorized removal from a company premises. If the system is removed without authorization through a door or passageway protected by an RF sensor, IBM Asset ID will automatically cause the ThinkPad to become password-protected. This prevents the viewing or theft...

...chief technology officer, IBM Personal Systems Group. Announced last year for IBM desktop PCs, Asset ID helps security personnel keep close track of computers to combat theft, while reducing security paperwork and time-consuming bag searches at security checkpoints. For systems administrators, Asset ID eliminates many costly, time-consuming manual steps involved in today's system deployment, inventory and tracking processes. Asset ID stores valuable information about each system, including software configuration and the serial numbers of key components. Asset ID also holds a number of blank fields, so administrators can customize information to fit a company's specific needs

...protection, data encryption and decryption technology for e-business transactions and confidential e-mail and **Digital Signature** to authenticate parties participating in e-business initiatives through the Internet. The Smart Card Security Kit is priced at \$199. "With average annual losses from **computer** hardware theft rising to nearly \$8 billion last year, companies of all sizes are increasingly...
...s new radio frequency and smart card security solutions will help companies arm themselves against **computer** and data theft, protecting their investments." In addition to the added security features, the new...

... The ThinkPad 770Z models are designed for users that require the

ultimate workstation-level notebook **computer**. Expanding its reputation as the benchmark for high-end notebook computers, the 770Zs provide power users with stellar performance, multimedia, connectivity and **configuration** flexibility. The new systems feature large 14.1-inch XGA or 13.7-inch SXGA...

- ...for engineering, financial and other graphics-intensive applications. The new ThinkPad 770 models can be **configured** with a maximum of 320MB of memory, and include a DVD drive, 8MB of video IBM resellers. Asset ID-enabled models are available through resellers that participate in IBM's Authorized Assembler Program (AAP), in which ThinkPads are offered in a variety of custom **configurations** to meet customer needs. The modular design of the new ThinkPads facilitates channel assembly and...
- ...IBM to offer 12-hour depot repair service on these systems. A three-year limited warranty is standard. IBM also unveiled mobile options to expand the functionality of the new 770Z...
- ...disk drive storage options available to ThinkPad customers. For added convenience, users can choose to **configure** their ThinkPads with the new drives at point of purchase. The new drives are equipped...
- ... ThinkPad 600E models ensures continual performance while working remotely. For more information on IBM Asset ID technology, visit http://www.ibm.com/pc/us/infobrf/assetidor http://www.ibm.com/pc...

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- ...worship, rental firms, and companies providing services at live events. The software supports an unlimited **number** of users working remotely or in multiple offices. The system stores photos and graphics within...
- ...Web: www.agnpro.com AGNPRO/digiSignage is a leading provider of simple, reliable and effective **digital signage** solutions using 100% solid state palm sized media players and intuitive, simple to use web...
- ...Processors using Adfotain Central Management Server Software to schedule, manage and distribute content to the **digital** signage network. AGNPRO is a leading manufacturer of LCD displays, specifically for the **digital** signage market, designed for the ruggedness and style required for the retail environment. Company: AKIRA Booth...
- ...a leading edge display technology company, has been delivering the highest quality Plasma, LCD and **Digital Signage** products throughout the world since 1999. Since entering the industry, Akira has solidified itself as...converters with worldwide locations (USA, France and Singapore). The Company designs a wide range of **computer** to video scan converters, scalers, seamless switchers and up/down converters. The products provide the...com Web: www.clarityvisual.com At InfoComm 2006, Clarity will introduce new control room and **digital signage** products. Clarity's worldwide engineering capability results in new, larger LCD and DLP display systems...
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- ...broad array of sizes and formats to choose from. Every screen carries a 1-year warranty and our warehouse facilities in Cerritos, California. enable us to keep a large on-hand...The WC4000 video/data wall controller, the ICS Sign One and Sign Pro, which are digital signage/information display systems, and a new line of large screen LCD displays. Company: Impact Acoustics...
- ...focus is the US distribution to sub-distributors, resellers and integrators for custom installations and **digital signage** solutions. Logistic centers in New Jersey and Las Vegas ensure on-time delivery to any...flat screen and outdoor enclosure mounts, countertop mounts, custom mounts and more. Lucasey has developed **unique** and inter-changeable designs, which allow for an infinite variety of applications. Lucasey products are...
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- ...driving force redefining price/performance and ease of use, providing innovative and affordable tools for **computer**-generated animation, video and film special effects. Company: NextWindow Booth/Stand: 4744 Media Contact: Lori...
- ...with NextWindow overlays. Robust design and optical imaging technology are perfect for attention grabbing, interactive **digital** signage applications. Overlays feature fully welded steel frames and black-textured powder-coated finish, which can...are recognized as the

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- ...solution, Used by A/V rental, AV Staging rental, Lighting & Sound, production companies, props rental, computer rental, staging rental, party & marquee rentals and event driven rental companies in 14 countries. Come...
- ...Revolabs, Inc. was formed by two leading wireless product executives to provide solutions to a number of problems that have plagued the enterprise collaboration industry to date. There had long been... strandvision.com Web: http://www.strandvision.com StrandVision LLC delivers low-cost, high-availability hosted digital signage services to businesses through a network of installers. StrandVision uses standard Unix/Linux, Mac or Windows PC equipment, and delivers content directly over the Internet to televisions and computer displays in subscribers' offices and businesses. StrandVision's easy-to-setup and easy-to-update...
- ...for highly distributed, network-connected organizations. Serving Global 2000 and mid-tier organizations, Stratacache offers **digital** signage software, eliminates delays in synchronizing data and installing software patches and upgrades at remote locations...
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- ...providers. MetaSolv's multi-service, multi-technology capabilities include order management, inventory management, service activation, configuration management, and network mediation. More than 170 global service providers -- including Brasil Telecom, BT, Cable...
- ...effort Ethernet. Metrobility's AccessServices(TM) technology offers service providers new service performance assurance, service configuration and remote management. Company: Miniflex Limited Booth/Stand: 57091 Media Contact: Paul Ekpenyong Investor Relations...
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- ...Contact: Kristopher J. Patterson Media Contact Phone: 248.350.3843, Ext. 120 Web: www.denso-id.com On February 1, 2002, TD SCAN (U.S.A.) and DENSO products quietly entered computer. Company: TOA Technologies Booth/Stand: 2178 Media Contact: Jessica Gates Media Contact Phone: 216-360...
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- ...from 15 to over 4,000 today covering all sectors of the industry, such as **computer**, hardware, software, information services, network & communication etc. TCA has branch offices across in Taiwan, and...

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- ...and projection equipment, including large-format plasma and LCD screens, professional projection equipment, and complete digital signage systems. As a recognized leader in advancing the digital signage industry, ActiveLight partners with resellers, designers and system integrators to provide complete digital signage networks and compelling display applications. Company: ACT Teleconferencing Booth/Stand: 2881 Ticker Symbol & Exchange: ACTT...Inc., a leading manufacturer of audio-visual signal management solutions, offers a complete line of computer video interfaces, distribution amplifiers, switchers, matrix switchers, special application products, cables and related accessories and...
- ...detachable power cord, Rack Mounting Brackets, Rack Mounting support rails, USB cable, User Manual Part **Number**: S15 Company description: American Power Conversion is a worldwide leader in the designing, manufacturing, and...
- ...power systems, racks and enclosures, cables, power conditioning equipment, and related software for telecom, datacom, computer and computer-related equipment. Company: Anchor Audio, Inc. Booth/Stand: 1415 Media Contact: Debbie Lombard Phone: 3107842300...
- ...Audio manufactures portable sound systems in Torrance, California, and sound systems have a six year warranty. In addition to the Beacon, Anchor will show the full line of products including point...into PowerPoint(R). Company description: Casio, Inc., Dover, NJ is the US

- subsidiary of Casio Computer Co., Ltd., Tokyo, Japan. Casio, Inc. markets mobile presentation devices, digital cameras, calculators, keyboards, portable...
- ...is the first dual-unit wireless conference phone. Its two complete phone units double the **number** of speakers and microphones for crystal clear sound and enhanced communication in larger rooms. Each... ...manual and electric front projection screens as well as rear projection screens, communication cabinets, lecterns, **computer** furniture, easels, projection carts and stands, television/audio visual carts and monitor mounts. Company: Digidesign...and flat panel monitors. From dynamic projection systems to integrated presentation controls, Dukane offers custom **configurations** for any application large or small. Since 1922, Dukane products have been supported by their...
- ...ntaylor@dynatekmedia.com Web: www.dynatekmedia.com Product description: Software and Hardware solutions for the Digital Signage industry. Company description: DynaTek Media Networks offers a suite of innovative Spot(R) products, services and revenue sharing opportunities in the rapidly growing electronic digital signage, and digital media industry. DynaTek's proprietary research and development enables content to be delivered effortlessly in a variety of application including retail digital signage, way finding, corporate communications and many more. Company: Electrosonic Booth/Stand: 2358 Media Contact: Yvonne...
- ...and network data systems. These new cable products have been specifically designed to meet the unique requirements of each control system manufactured by industry leaders such as Crestron, AMX, Elan, Lutron...for professional sound systems of all types, sizes and applications. Installers no longer need to configure every component in a system for the medium chosen for the system's signal-path backbone; HiQnet's intelligent software will sense the types of connections and configure them automatically. Company description: Headquartered in Northridge, California, the Harman Pro Group is part of
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- ...the functions of multimedia without external networking device to offer a total turnkey solution for **digital signage** and other applications. IDEX USA commits to the digital technology of the future and invests...
- ...OfficeFX Professional MSRP is \$649.95. Company description: Instant Effects develops software that enables mainstream **computer** users to easily create interactive rich media from within popular productivity applications or through access...

- ...ISUZU GLASS celebrates our 100 years anniversary this year. We have developed and manufactured many unique original lens and filters, utilizing its engineering know -how accumulated since its foundation. Company: LifeSize...E-mail: bwhite@luxorfurn.com Web: http://www.luxorfurn.com/ Product description: Mounting Systems Personal Computer Workstations Training Computer Workstation

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- ...Classroom Furniture. Company description: Mediatech designs and manufactures lecterns, podiums and control systems for classrooms, unique presentation systems and lecterns for houses of worship, low-cost control systems and furniture for...
- ...s smallest personal presentation projector and also its SXGA+ data wall cubes that can be **configured** to form some of the world's largest displays. A commercial application demo also highlights...breaking products and continues to guide the company in pioneering innovative and affordable tools for **computer**-generated animation, video and film special effects. Company: NKK Switches Booth/Stand: 649 Media Contact...
- ...other critical listening environment. You can now work in the same room and your noisy **computer** or servers. Company description: Noren Products, Inc. a world wide thermal management company. Company: Numonics
- ...are recognized as the "Easiest to Use" products. Each product utilizes a multimedia pen and unique user-definable soft keys that provide access to launch programs, reach the internet, use presentation...Web: www.pacificdigital.com Product description: Pacific Digital will be demonstrating it's line of digital signage hardware and software solutions including stand alone DS-104 models, to the full featured DS...
- ...s Consumer Product Division focuses on leading-edge storage and digital-imaging products, including Digi-Sign digital signage and MemoryFrame digital photo albums. Company: PolyVision Corporation Booth/Stand: 3000 Ticker Symbol & Exchange: SCS...
- ...it has a large selection of mounts. All mounts are backed by a limited-lifetime warranty. With over 3,500 reps and dealers worldwide, plus a powerful e-commerce Web site...
- ...of content without any rewind time making these DVRs optimal for audio/visual presentation and **digital signage** systems.

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- ...manufacturers state-of-the-art digital and analog home theater and audio systems. By incorporating **computer**-based technology in its electronics, Meridian's components are upgradeable making them ideal for the...
- ...company. Products range from Consumables like DVD-R and CDR and Labels/Photo Papers to Computer accessories. Products are sold at Regional and National retailers, like FRYS, AMAZON, CIRCUIT CITY, INGRAM ...progressive approach, our line of products has expanded from personal awareness devices, to also include computer and peripheral accessories, surveillance, wireless monitoring systems, software and more. Company: Mobile Crossing, Inc. Booth...
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- and TV antennas. For more information on Power Sentry or its...to operate simultaneously on a single transceiver chip. This allows it to offer a significant number of benefits to consumers and carriers alike. Company description: Quorum Systems enables convergence wireless technologies...
- ...to operate simultaneously on a single transceiver chip, and by doing so offering a significant **number** of benefits to consumers and carriers alike. Company: RaySat, Inc. Booth/Stand: 5224 Media/Investor...
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- ...of small form factor (SFF) computers and accessories. Shuttle produced the first commercially-successful SFF computer and continues to define the segment with its platform defining XPC product line. Company: silex...
- ...supplier of advanced video digital processing integrated circuits. The company's products are driving three unique technologies into a broad range of markets: a patented, array-based programmable DSP for digital...VoIP capabilities with zero set-up fees, zero monthly fees, zero service contracts, zero software configuration, zero hidden charges and up to 150 minutes of ready-to-use free call time...
 ...included with the phone. Company description: SOYO Group, Inc. is a leading global provider of computer peripheral, consumer electronics, portable storage, networking, and broadband telecommunications products and services to meet the...
- ...field testing; SPR200 reference design: for high volume product rollouts; SPiDMonitor software: remote control to **configure** and monitor any SPiDCOM modem. Company description: SPiDCOM Technologies is a fabless semi-conductor company...
- ...description: Texas Instruments offers flexible solutions for the consumer electronics market. TI delivers semiconductors, including digital signal processors and analog components, plus the software and systems expertise that consumer electronics manufacturers require...range of products & services to better serve our customers dealing with heat difficulties from their computer components. Company: Thomson Booth/Stand: LVCC South Hall-S233 Ticker Symbol & Exchange: Euronext: 18453; NYSE...
- ...the ability to create a wireless connection between their Bluetooth-enabled mobile phone and their computer, allowing them to instantly surf the Internet, send e-mails, transfer pictures, or quickly synchronize...mail: vstuart@mbapr.com Web: www.warrantech.com Product description: Warrantech is introducing two new warranty programs at CES 2005: Homeowner Security Warranty Program -- Under the

RepairMaster program, homeowners can extend the warranty on home security systems for up to 4 years Lamp Replacement -- LCD, LCoS, D-ILA...

- ...in many new television sets and monitors can be protected under Warrantech's new extended warranty program. Company description: Warrantech Consumer Product Services is a division of Warrantech Corporation. Based in...
- ...contracts and after-market warranties on automobiles, automotive components, recreational vehicles, appliances, consumer electronics, homes, computer and computer peripherals for retailers, distributors and manufacturers. Company: Winegard Company Booth/Stand: 26135 and 6530 Media...
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- ...CAM Reports 3rd Quarter Results LAM039 07/26/2004 06:00 r f bc-CA-Computer-Sciences (EL SEGUNDO) CSC and Zurich Financial Services Sign Global IT Applications Outsourcing Agreement SFM032...
- ...and Life Sciences Markets SFM055 07/26/2004 07:02 r f bc-CA-Creative-id-Soft (MILPITAS) Creative and id Software Announce DOOM 3 Engine/EAX ADVANCED HD Collaboration SFM005 07/26/2004 07:03...Prices on Popular Networking Products NYM088 07/26/2004 07:55 r f bc-MA-Computer-EMedHome (HANOVER) Computer Technology Resource Webpage Launched for Emergency Physicians SFM017 07/26/2004 07:55 r f...
- ...to Connect 12,000 Employees SFM020 07/26/2004 07:59 r f bc-Seagate-warranty (SCOTTS VALLEY) Disc Drive Leader Seagate Introduces 5-Year Warranty on All Internal Computer Hard Drives Shipped in Distribution CLM012 07/26/2004 08:00 r f bc-OH...NEM019 07/26/2004 09:24 r f bc-MA-GeoTrust-chosen (WELLESLEY) GeoTrust's Digital Signing Technology Chosen by Unified Testing Initiative Members to Protect Mobile Java Applications FLM014 07/26...
- ...2004 09:40 r f bc-CA-Sunbelt-scannr-vsn (CLEARWATER) Sunbelt Software Releases Major **Upgrade** to Security Vulnerability Scanner LAM013 07/26/2004 09:45 r f bc-AZ-Airline...

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Cushioning conversion system and method

System und Verfahren zur Herstellung von stossabsorbierendem Verpackungsmaterial Systeme et procede pour la fabrication de produits de calage pour emballages.

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Specification: ...package the part and then to instruct the cushioning conversion machine to produce the required **number** of pads having the appropriate lengths. Also, the reliability of the packaging operation is oftentimespart or parts to be packaged. As a consequence, a packaging system, based on an identification of a part or parts to be packaged, produces pads of specified lengths to meet... ... device or other means for identifying the part or parts (e.g., via a part number or a part identifier) to be packaged, a memory containing predetermined packaging instructions associated with......A known part to be packaged is identified, for example, by entering the part's identification number into the system via either a keypad, a pull-down menu, a bar code reader.......a packaging system includes a packaging material consumption monitoring system and method which counts the number of packaging containers, the amount of packaging material generated, and the amount or number of other associated packaging supplies to thereby maintain an inventory control function by monitoring the... ...utilizes the collected data to generate a productivity report which provides packaging machine data, operator identification data and productivity data reflecting the time required to complete the various steps in the....a cushioning conversion machine which dictates the appropriate container (e.g., size and type), the number of cushioning pads, their length and their generation sequence. Additionally, the determined optimized packaging methodology.....shipping order which is read by the packaging system. The packaging system, using the order number, identifies each of the parts to be packaged and retrieves additional data associated with each...parts:

Figure 30 is a flow chart illustrating in a step of reading an order number for a shipment of items;

Figure 31a-31d are block diagrams illustrating exemplary cubing configurations.....known part to be packaged is identified by, for example, reading or entering its part identification number. Once the part to be packaged is identified, the packaging system retrieves a predetermined set and is operable to retrieve a predetermined set of packaging instructions in response to the identification of a part to be packaged, which is preferably identified via the input peripheral 20.....motor, etc.) to form one or more pads of particular lengths in accordance with a number of control signal inputs. Such control signal inputs may include inputs from machine sensors, such.....signal lines 54 for conveying addresses, data and control between the CPU 50 and a number of system bus components. The other system bus components include a memory 58 (including a......for example, data relating to the proper container to be used for packaging, the part identification number, the packaging material generation control requirements (both the amount and sequencing) and user packaging instructions.....packaging instructions to a user. The method 100 preferably begins with the entry of an identification number of a known part to be packaged at step 102. The identification step 102 may be carried out in a number of ways. For example, the part may have a part identification number on it which may be manually input to the packaging system controller 16 via the input peripheral 20 such as by typing the part **number** into the system using a keyboard or keypad. Alternatively, a pull-down menu illustrated on... ... associated sets of predetermined packaging instructions in the packaging system 10. By selecting the part number in the pull-down menu using the mouse, the part to be packaging is identified... ...method of entering the part to be packaged, step 102 may include reading the part identification number from the

part (or its associated packaging request paperwork) using a pattern recognition device such... ... for receiving audio signals and the part may be entered by reading aloud the part number into the microphone of the packaging system 10. In such a case, the microphone receives... ... algorithmic search engine to retrieve the predetermined packaging instructions. In such a method, each part number is tied to an address space which contains the packaging instructions associated with the part number. The CPU 50, using the addresses corresponding to the address space, retrieves the instructions and......112 the operator determines that the wrong part has been identified (i.e., the part identification number was incorrectly entered, etc.), the operator can return to the beginning of the method 100... ...identifying the part to be packaged at step 102 (i.e., re-enter the part identification number) prior to generating any packaging material, thereby avoiding potential waste. If, however, the operator verifies... ... peripheral 18. Figure 6a preferably includes a windows-type display interface 120 having a part identification window 122, a part title box 124 and a box number window 126 for displaying the proper packaging container which corresponds to the identified part. The... ...step identifier 132a, a packaging material amount identifier 132b, a window 132c which indicates the number of pads required to complete the identified step, and a packaging illustration box 132d. Lastly....various pieces of data onto the screen as shown in Figure 6a such as the identification of the packaging container and the box number window 126 and the name of the part in the part title box 124. Preferably, the number of parts to be packaged is manually ...box 128, however, the present invention may automatically receive such data when reading the part identification number or, alternatively, an order, job or lot number. In addition, the preview of the packaging methodology for the identified part is displayed by... ... user.

One manner of identifying the part to be packaged is simply entering the part identification number into the window 122. Alternatively, one may also use a pull-down menu using a... ...packaged. The packaging instructions which are retrieved by the CPU 50 in response to the identification of the part to be packaged include both control instructions to control the operation of......at step 352, wherein, for example, the packaging system controller 16 keeps track of the number of each type of packaging container used at step 354, calculates the amount of packaging.....various packaging materials are consumed, the CPU 50 updates a consumption list by decrementing the number associated with the item in memory. For example, if fifty (50) type-1 packaging containersone of the type-1 packaging containers be utilized, the CPU 50 decrements the inventory number of type-1 packaging containers in memory to forty-nine (49). The CPU 50, then......50 initializes the list to be updated within the memory to zero so that the **number** of containers as well as the various associated supplies indicate that none of the supplies...data, the CPU 50 also records other pertinent information such as the packaging material generator identification number, an operator identifier, and a code which indicates which predetermined set of packaging instructions are......104 of Figure 13, the CPU 50 initializes two counting variables ("i" which represents the number of parts which need to be packaged and "j" which represents the number of steps required to package each part) at step 420. At step 422, the CPU....in this case, j = 2) to a threshold value which when met indicates the maximum number of steps in the particular packaging process has been exceeded. If all the steps are....the operator to identify the part to be packaged, such as by providing a part number as well as a number of such parts to be packaged. (As used herein, solid lines in the flow chart... ... in step 506. The operator can then indicate to the packaging system 10 the part number of the part or parts to be packaged and the number of parts to be packaged at step 508. Based on the identification of the part to be packaged, the program will retrieve from the information for a... ... at step 514. The program then checks, as shown in Figure 15b, that the required **number** of parts have not yet been packaged at step 516. Assuming that the required number of parts have not yet been packaged, and, as in this example, this is the... ...initialize the current step counter equal to one at step 518, meaning that the correct number of pads of the correct lengths are to be produced for the first step in the process of packaging the identified part. The number of steps having been executed in the packaging process is then examined at step 520....message, the packaging system controller 16 will instruct the machine controller 14 as to the number of pads to be produced and their order of generation (step 540 of Figure 15c). Alternatively, instead of providing the pad length and the number of pads to be produced to the machine controller 14 in one step, the section... ... one pad of the appropriate length as

many times as needed to produce the correct **number** of pads. Communication between the packaging system controller 16 and the machine controller 14 is... ... 524 through 532 to confirm that the machine controller 14 received the length and the **number** of pads to be produced.

Accordingly, after the machine controller 14 has been instructed to....enough data to fully identify the part to be packaged, in many instances a full **identification** of the part will not be made, and instead the packaging methodology will be determined...to the cushioning conversion machine 12 at step 610 are control signals which dictate the **number** of cushioning pads to produce, their respective lengths and their order of manufacture, similar to....fewer or greater categories may be provided as necessary. It is preferable, however, that the

number of categories be sufficient to avoid excessive "educated guesses" of fragility, since an estimate G.......That is, a fragility value may be assigned to an unknown part if a substantial number of attributes are similar to a part having a known fragility value. Similarly, frames which...need to apply additional rules to further focus upon a single solution. For example, the number of available containers at step 802 may be further reduced by determining whether each of... ... amount of wear on the cushioning conversion machine (e.g., which results in the fewest number of packaging material generation steps) or the method that requires the least amount of effort... ...used to train the neural network. Each training example is described in terms of a number of characteristics, each of which are input into a separate neuron or "node". The neural... ...way that distinguishes between different objects included in the training examples. The neural network performs identification and discriminates between various available packaging methodologies by assigning numerical weights to many characteristics. Thus.....discussed above in conjunction with the expert system 700. The expert packer therefore communicates a number of system inputs to the neural network which represent the characteristics of the part to....lading which contains information which identifies, for example, the shipper, the ship to address, the number of containers in the shipping order, and the total weight of the shipment. The packaging....monitoring system collects data for various productivity criteria such as, but not limited to, the number of orders packed, the number of items packed, the total weight packed, the average time per order and the average.....a warehouse management system 902. The packaging system controller 901 transmits a tote bar code number 903 (or RF tag reader) which represents a shipping order to the warehouse management system 902 when a packer 904 receives a retrieved number of items to be packaged. The license plate is read from the tote and the......12 (e.g., the cushioning and conversion machine) as control signals 908c which dictate the number and length of cushioning pads to produce as well as their sequence of generation. The... ...items to be packaged is received at the packaging station, the packer reads an order number associated with the items at step 1002 using, for example, the bar code reader 20b. The packaging system controller 901 of Figure 28 then uses the order number at step 1004 to access the warehouse management system which contains a database containing all.....warehouse as well as various pieces of data associated with the items such as the number of items in inventory 1006, the size, shape and weight of the item 1008 and....packer 904 via the display 18c at step 1016.

The step of reading the order **number** (step 1002 of Figure 29) is illustrated in greater detail in Figure 30. The process... ...order for a variety of items and the warehouse management system 902 assigns an order **number** to the order. The order is then arranged at step 1022 by the warehouse management... ...the following exemplary manner at step 1028. A bar code reader 20d reads the order **number** (or license plate **number**) from the bar code 903 on the tote which contains the retrieved items. The packer... ...pick list is verified at step 1028, the packaging system controller 901 sends the order **number** back to the warehouse management system 902 at step 1030 with a request to retrieve... ...in Figure 33. The generation of production statistics (step 1106) includes the counting of the **number** of order packed per unit time at step 1120 and the counting of the items...apparatus, a robot and a pad insertion system.

^{*} an input peripheral for providing a part identification for the part to be packaged.

- * the input peripheral comprises at least one of a....the container.
- * identifying a part to be packaged comprises the steps of:
- * inputting a part number associated with the part to a computer; and
- * matching the part number with a corresponding part number in a computer memory.
- * inputting the part number comprises at least one of entering the part number using a keyboard associated with the computer, reading a bar code representing the part number using a bar code reader, identifying the part number from a parts menu on the computer, and identifying the part number using optical character recognition or video pattern recognition.
- * the parts menu comprises a pull-down menu and the part **number** is identified using at least one of mouse, a keyboard and a touch screen.
- * the step of inputting the part number comprises:
- * speaking part identifying information into a microphone; and
- * converting the information into a digital signal corresponding to the part number using voice recognition.
- * the step of retrieving the packaging instructions comprises the step of accessing... ... of one or more materials used in packaging parts.
- * monitoring the consumption comprises counting a number of containers used in packaging the parts.
- * monitoring the consumption comprises calculating an amount of... ...packaging the parts, wherein the supplies include at least one of packaging tape, operating instructions, warranty cards, and address labels and identifying where the parts are destined.
- * generating a consumption report... ... of the one or more materials comprises the steps of:
- * initializing a variable representing a **number** of packaging containers used in inventory;
- * decrementing the variable representing the **number** of packaging containers in inventory when packaging a part:
- * comparing the decremented variable to a... ... cushioning conversion machine using the packaging instructions, thereby providing an indication of productivity.
- * monitoring a **number** of packages packaged within a predetermined amount of time, thereby providing an indication of productivity... ... amount of time needed to complete one or more of the packaging instructions, a total **number** of packages packed per unit time, a normalized productivity value, and a trending indicator.
- * a... ... the part may be dropped;
- * identifying a plurality of cushioning curves of various cushioning material **configurations** having data corresponding to the determined height; and
- * determining whether the cushioning material configurations relating to the cushioning curves absorb sufficient

shock for a provided fragility rating.

- * applying the... ...the steps of:
- * identifying a static loading range in which at least one cushioning material configuration absorbs sufficient shock; and
- * calculating a cushion bearing area using one or more static loading... ...rules comprises the steps of:
- * identifying a static loading value for a potential cushioning material configuration;
- * using the static loading value to identify a buckling coefficient;
- * using the buckling coefficient to establish a minimum dimension for a cushioning material configuration; and
- * comparing the potential cushioning configuration to the minimum dimension to determine whether the potential configuration provides sufficient resistance to buckling.
- * a packaging system, comprising:
- * a cushioning conversion machine for converting... ...packaging control methodology.
- * identifying the plurality of parts comprises the steps of:
- * reading an order number using a bar code reader; and
- * retrieving a list containing a plurality of parts associated with the order number from a database.
- * identifying the plurality of parts comprises the steps of:
- * receiving a pick list for a plurality of goods, wherein the pick list contains an order number;
- * arranging the pick list to optimize a retrieval of the plurality of goods;
- * retrieving the....information associated with the parts to be packaged comprises the steps of:
- * inputting an order **number** associated with the plurality of parts into a warehouse management system;
- * identifying each part associated with the order number;
- * accessing a data base containing the parts to be packaged and information associated with the parts; and
- * retrieving the information of the parts associated with the order number from the data base.
- * determining the packaging instructions comprises the steps of:
- * applying one or... ... to a method of shipment;
- * identifying a plurality of cushioning curves of various cushioning material **configurations** having data corresponding to the determined height; and

- * determining whether the cushioning material **configurations** relating to the cushioning curves absorb sufficient shock for a provided fragility rating.
- * applying the... ... the steps of:
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- * determining the packaging instructions comprises the steps of:
- * applying one...

Claims: ...step of identifying a part to be packaged includes the steps of:

inputting a part number associated with the part to a computer; and

matching the part number with a corresponding part number in a computer memory.

12. The method of claim 11, wherein the step of inputting the part **number** includes at least one of entering the part **number** using a keyboard, a mouse or a touch screen associated with the computer, reading a bar code representing the part **number** using a bar code reader, identifying the part **number** from a parts menu on the computer, identifying the part **number** using optical character recognition or video pattern recognition, and speaking part identifying information into a microphone and converting the information into a

digital signal corresponding to the part number using voice recognition.

13. The method of claim 10, wherein the step of controlling the.....step of monitoring the consumption includes one or more of the following steps: counting a **number** of containers used in packaging the parts, calculating an amount of cushioning material used in.....of the one or more materials includes the steps of:

initializing a variable representing a number of packaging containers used in inventory;

decrementing the variable representing the **number** of packaging containers in inventory when packaging a part; comparing the decremented variable to a... ... of productivity.

22. The method of claim 21, further comprising the step of monitoring a **number** of packages packaged within a predetermined amount of time, thereby providing an indication of productivity...

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Detailed Description:

... control loop tuning parameters may be automatically

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adjusted as a function of equipment type, **number** of output stages, output type (modulating or discrete), the HVAC process, and other factors as.....less output as needed form the respective stages. The thermostat may provide analog

form the respective stages. The thermostat may provide analog

or digital signals for controlling single or multiple cooling or

heating stages. Humidity control may also be implemented.....may be sequenced.

Information about an example sequencer may be disclosed in U.S.

Patent number 6,536,678 B2, entitled "Boiler Control System and

Method", issued March 25th, 2003, and......Information about an example humidity controller may be

disclosed in U.S. Patent Application serial **number** 10/314,604, entitled "Humidity Controller", filed on December 4th, 2002, and by inventor Paul... ...herein by reference. Information about an example HVAC may be disclosed in U.S. Patent **number** 5,172,565, entitled "Air Handling System Utilizing Direct Expansion Cooling", issued December 22, 1992... ...interface module 13 including a connection cable. Sensors 25 may be connected to thermostat 11.

Configuration tool and system 10 may provide the following value added features: an armchair thermostat 11 setup; a saving of tested thermostat configurations for reuse; a reduction of 17

configuration errors; a reduction in warranty returns and customer callbacks; an updating of control setpoints (for example room temperature occupied, unoccupied and standby setpoints); weekly and holiday schedules; and user defined default configuration values. A PDA hardware platform is preferred over a laptop personal computer (PC) 24 for several reasons including, but not limited to, lower initial cost and smaller... ...disconnected from the thermostat 11. The user may have the option to note a configuration identification code and manually set the code using tool or user interface 12. Then interface 12... ...Interrupt line for waking the device, Palm OSTm default is to initiate the HotSync process.

ID (in) Peripheral **ID** line.

9 unused Not connected
2 0
S9 Signal Ground
One may note that pin 10...59: 59 = last second of th
2 9
Configuration tool 12 may calculate a configuration
identification as a function of a selected group of thermostat
11 configuration parameters, using an algorithm. Configuration
tool 12 may display the computed thermostat 11 configuration
identification. There are configuration parameter dependencies.

Here are summarized configuration rules governing limits on parameter data....next screen may be the cooling configuration in Figure 9d for a selection of-the **number** of stages, cooling response, lockout, and set point degrees F.

Figure 9e shows a similar... ...error messages, space temperature, remote temperature set point input, discharge air temperature, outside air temperature, **number** of heating stages active, heating capacity output in percent, **number** of cooling stages active, cooling

capacity in terms of percent, remote space relative humidity in... ...11, but it may be able to upload a contractor's name, logo and telephone **number**. This information may be presented on the screen of PDA 12. Also, it may likewise... ...be helpful.

phone **number** and logo graphic (and possibly additional information) on a PC at block 16. The format...less output as needed from the 55 respective stages. The thermostat may provide analog or **digital signals** for controlling single'or multiple'cooling or heating stages. The thermostat may have any combination... ...resistor 63 may be read on power 56 up and provide an indication of a **unique** resistor value that

Figure 15 is a flow diagram of an entry of a contractorfs

indicates the presence of a modulating sub-base.

ADC block 59 may.....of block 87 may'go to block 88 and cause the sub-base configuration resistor ID to be read. The next question of symbol 89 may be whether the modulating resistor identification (ID) is valid or not. if not, a signal may be sent back to the beginning.....the process may repeat itself with the same question of validation of the modulating resistor ID. If the resistor ID is valid, then a signal may be sent from decision diamond 89 to block 91.....may be always active. They may be always being driven 0-100 percent. When the number of stages is zero, the relay outputs may be used to enable heating or cooling.....output is zero. Staged action may be used in addition to the modulating outputs. The number of stages may be set to 1 or 2, or more if desired. In this.....by a resistor located on the sub-base. Each I/O configuration may have a unique resistor value. One sub-base configuration may have modulating outputs.

A total of four relays....some description of the various keys on keyboard 45.

Table 31

Reference Grouping Button Definition

Number

Information Down Arrow Used for lowering setpoints, days, and times. When setting times or temperatures...task 140, the received information may go to share memory 130 via data path 139.

ID interface periodic task 153 may receive digital inputs via a hardware connection 154. An output... ... 1" input (i.e., 3 volts).

The baud rate may be 4800 baud. The maximum number of

characters per message may be 11 characters. The limitation may be based on the......11 bytes long. The least significant bit of each byte is sent first. The "variable number" byte is the first byte sent and the "CheckSum" is the last byte sent. The... ... with the external device.

The receive buffer may contain room for four received messages, the number of buffers currently in use, a pointer to the buffer being used to receive characters... ... may ignore received messages.

The send buffer may contain room for four received

messages, the number of buffers currently in use, a pointer to the buffer being used to send characters......In heat pump mode, fan and only selected one compressor (heating or cooling) 1: The **number** of outputs is available. Auxiliary heat is not configured exceeds the capability of available. Note... ... item is the super capacitor ability to supply power to the device for the rated number of hours after mains power has failed. Clock frequency may be another. A general recommended.....Time of Day dsTempOcc keyTempOcc Set Tempora Occupied Override dsTempNotOcc keyTempNotOcc Set Temporary Not Occupied number of days dsSetSched keySchedDay, keySchedOcc, or Set Schedules 9.5 State Keypress Description keySchedNotOcc

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Output 465 of....maxHeatStgs.

0: The outputs configuration is consistent with the sub-base type selected 1: The **number** of outputs configured exceeds the capability of the sub-base to support them.

Discharge sensor... ... In block 351, one may connect PDA 12 to thermostat 11 and upload the configuration identification as in block 352. The normal controller delays

may be turned off as in block...

Claims:

...The means of claim 17, further comprising a means for downloading a logo and a **number** to the thermostat 21 The means of claim 20, wherein the means for downloading a logo and a **number** to the thermostat is apersonal digital assistant 124. The means of claim 20, further comprising a means fordisplaying a downloaded logo and **number**. 23 The means of claim 18, wherein the thermostat is connected to a means for...

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PDA DIAGNOSIS OF THERMOSTATS

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The normal controller delays may be turned off as in 10...

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English Abstract:

...tester (400) can be configured to prevent part warranty fraud by requiring the input of **unique** part (440) identifying information (450) into a part tester (400) prior to initiation of the...

French Abstract:

...fraude portant sur la garantie des pieces en exigeant l'entree d'informations uniques d'**identification** de piece dans le dispositif de verification de piece avant que la verification ne debute ...

Detailed Description:

...result in an increase in battery warranty costs. Since current battery testers do not gather **unique** battery identifier data, there is no way to show that the battery that appears on... ...and any other information useful for warranty cost reduction, quality assurance tracking information or battery **identification**. The method can include providing a dealer

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part code or a warranty line **number** in a report, which can be entered by a service technician or acquired from a... ... that contains correct identifying information, which can be introduced in to the database when vehicle **identification number** (VIN) information is entered. To prevent fraud, an error signal can be supplied when the... ... the form of a computer chip that sends a signal, or it can be a **unique** identifier where the information is downloaded from a database matching the identifier to the information... ... network connection, wireless communication. The battery identifying information can be contained, for example, in a **unique** code affixed to each battery contained in a label. The label can be

associated... ...or amperagehours, (AH) of the battery, the date of manufacture of the battery, the lot **number** or unit **number** of production or any other useful information than can be part of the **unique** information gathered specific to the battery. This information can be coupled with information entered in to the tester by the operator, such as make and model of car and VIN **number**. Alternatively, the VIN **number** can be scanned. The make and model of car can be searched in a database... ... correct type of battery for the vehicle. By accessing another database that includes the VIN **number** and the appropriate CCA information it would be possible to ensure the correct battery was being used for the make and model associated with the VIN **number**.

The battery tester can receive the identifying information from the input device.

The input device... ... a chip signal, or reading the infon-nation from the battery in any of a **number** of possible coding mechanisms previously detailed. The information can be verified on the spot in... ... an IR LED port.

By scanning or receiving the battery identifying information which contains a **unique** code for the battery, the code can be included on a report that includes the... ...automobile part 440. Input device 430 connected to tester 400 via data conduit 460 reads **unique** part identifying information 450 into tester 400 prior to performing the test.

Referring to FIG... ...other output device, for outputting the completed test information. The battery tester 200 can be configured to attach to a data supply system, such as a computer, for uploading and downloading and storing test information, verification information, warranty information, safety information, quality assurance information or other information needed or useful to test batteries in a manner to avoid fraud. The battery tester 200 can be configured with a wireless communication system for exchanging such information with a data system remotely. For... ...or a wireless transmitter for sending information via wireless network connections. The tester can be configured with a flash memory module to simplify data transfer or to upgrade the tester.

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The battery tester 200 can be a common battery tester, such as... ...alternator charging the battery. The internal resistance of the battery can be directly measured during **digital signal** processing of the voltage. Charge 1 0 acceptance and battery condition can be perforined to... ...determining how the battery voltage holds up under a high amperage load. This involves a **unique** pulsed impedance testing method to simulate a Y2CCA current 15-second load test on the... ...of the same battery, reducing the potential for fraud. The battery tester 10 can be **configured** such that cables 3O and 5O must be connected to the battery prior to testing. The battery tester 10 can be **configured** so that the tester or bar code reader 40 will not operate or permit a test

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result acceptable for warranty claims, without reader 40 being between cables 30 and 50 while reading code 60. A... ...bar code reader 40 can read bar code 60 from the battery 20 obtaining information unique to that battery 20. Once this information is read into the tester 10, the test... ...50 is removed from the battery 20 prior to testing, the tester 10 can be configured to refuse to run the test, or to return an error message with a print... ...20 can be tested and a report can be printed, downloaded to a 10 computer system, or transmitted electronically that includes the battery's identification information and status, including warranty status. By using a unique code for each battery, battery warranty fraud can be minimized.

The apparatus can be configured to assist in minimizing fraud. For... ... connecting cable. The battery-tester can also store the testing information for later output.

A **number** of embodiments have been described. Nevertheless, it will be understood that various modifications may be...

Claims:

...The method of any of claims I- 1 9 further comprising providing a warranty line number of the battery in a report.

21 The method of any of claims 1-20...

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AN INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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Detailed Description:

...access to those who have paid for
the service. By providing each user with a unique
username and a changeable password, the service can
ensure that only paid subscribers can access......B2C market principally by the use of
credit cards. The customer provides his credit card
number and address with the order, which the supplier
then verifies with the credit card company...the services and functions
available through it. However, we have appreciated
that there are a number of problems with conducting

eCommerce using only these systems. These problems are discussed below.

In... ...and passwords has created a management problem for many Internet users due to the sheer **number** that need to be remembered, particularly when good security practice requires passwords to be frequently...

Claims:

...the entire system to

scale, with each gateway storing and forwardinginformation, thereby allowing any **number** of users to beconnected. Information from the multiple application Plug-Ins 70 72, 74... augment that of the standard web browser. The BHO

is implemented to respond to a number of significant events that occur as the web browser is operated and directed by the... ... and data submitted to the web server from thebrowser and identify data that is unique to the user. It may do this simply by searching the outbound datastream for...do this bysearching objects in the DOM for terms such as'Receipt' or 'Account Number', The BHO may also use the DOM to determine the field names or field types... ComponentObject Model (COM) and that utilizes the ExchangeIExchExt interface. This interface provides a number of additional interfaces for modifying the operation of the Exchange e-mail client, such as...... for evidence of aneCommerce transaction, by identifying significant wordssuch as 'receipt' or 'account number. The message maythen be stored for auditing purposes. In the case of anunapproved.....scan the content of the outgoing e-mail for sensitive data, such as creditcard number, and consequently cause the message to be recorded or even blocked.Plug-In Module Operation...of security, theinformation stored in the database is encrypted, sothat only a select number of people, such as networksupervisors, system administrators or company directors 5 have access to...not theindicated data is to be recorded. - 37 The WhenToStartRecording branch sets out a number of conditions which specify the point at which the dataspecified in the DataToRecord branch.....text, any attachments to the message, and in the case of messages signed with a digital signature, acopy of the digital certificate accompanying thesignature. Conditions for recording sent mail and... ... received mail are set out in the WhenToRecord branchand may be based on the identification of a credit cardnumber, a keyword or a digital certificate in the mailthat is sent or received. Thealso be possible. The branches shown in this diagram are only intended to be illustrative identification of Credit Card Numbers The preferred system also searches for Credit Cardnumbers or other... ... tests universally used by credit card companies to validate card numbers if a credit card number is found in the transmission, then the preferred system may take a number of actions depending on the settings in the policy file. such asrefer the transmission... ...renegotiate a higher level of encryption to safe-guardthe transmission if the credit card number belongs to the company, or prevent the transmission from takingplace altogether. - 39 The most common test to identify a credit cardnumber is defined in ANSI standard X4.13, and iscommonly known as LUHN or Mod.....check digit is figured in as part of the formula. Tovalidate a credit card number using the Luhn formula, the value of every second digit after the first, starting from the right hand side of the number and moving leftwards, is multiplied by two; all of thedigits, both those that have...the sum isdivisible by ten, then the credit card is a validcredit card number. Figure 8 is a flow diagram which illustrates the operation of a plug-in module... ...formula described above, indata which is about to be transmitted. If a creditcard number is identified, the plug-in moduleimplements further policy-based checks, based on theoutcome... ... which, the plug-in module may determine totransmit the data containing the credit card number orto prevent transmission. The module begins operation at step

S160, which follows point IC...... from it a first string of digits that is likely to be a credit card number. This is

achieved by scanning the data comprising the transmission for strings of digits over aparticular number of digits long. Credit card numbers are usually made up of more than 12 digits... ... routine end of file checkis made. If the data contains no candidate credit cardnumber and the end of the file check is reached beforeany first candidate number could be found, then at step\$164 control passes to step \$178 where the transmission... ...clientoperation shown in Figure 5 from point B.If a first potential credit card number is found in the data in step S162, then it is extracted andstored in......S162 to step S164 andthen to S166 where a checksum for the stored candidatenumber is calculated using the Luhn formula. Control- 41 then passes to decision step S168, where the checksum is queried. If the checksum indicates that the candidatenumber is not a valid credit card number then' control passes back to step S162 where the next potential credit card number is extracted from the data. If asecond credit card number is not found, then the end of the file is reached and control passes to... ... to step \$180 where the module exits. However, if the checksum indicates that the candidate number is a valid credit card number then control passes to decision step \$170 where the settings of the policy data are... ... appropriate action to take. The action may be determined from such factors such as the number itself, the identity of the user transmitting the number and the address to which it is to be sent. The policy datamight for... ... to restrict ransactions on a particular account 'altogether. - 42 In step \$170, the credit card number, and other details of the transaction are compared to the settings in the policy file... ... any reason, withreference to the policy checks, it is determined that the credit card number should not be transmitted, control passes to step S172 where transmission of thedata is... ... an e-mailclient. If in step S172, it is determined that the creditcard number may be transmitted, control passes to step\$176 where transmission of the data occurs, and... ...solely by scanning the content of thetransmission. In web browser implementations the credit and number may for example be directly identified by referring to the field names of any variables......also from the representation of the web page in memory. The discussion above about theidentification of passwords explains this in more detail. - 43 The preferred system may also be configured to search outgoing transmissions for other pertinent financial details, such as ...entries in the accounts file to determine whetheror not it is a valid account number. The transactionmay then be allowed to proceed or be refused in themanner described......card numbershave been referred to, it will be appreciated that anytype of card number for making payment such as debitcard numbers may also be used. Also, although identification of credit cardnumbers has been explained with reference to data thatis to be... ... These requirements are usually met by the purchasersupplying the trader with his credit card number andthe cardholder address which can then be verified bythe seller with the card.....Certificates are attached to-electronic transmissions by the user which, in conjunction with a- 44 digital signature, allow the receiver to verify thatthe transmission originated from the person named assender. Digital certificates from certain issuingauthorities, such as Identrus, may also act as awarranty that the holder will honour his commitment topay a specified amount of money. These certificates are useful when trading on-line. Digital signatures are a widely used means of establishing an individual's identity on-line whentransmitting.....by another Certificate Authority. A digital certificate typically contains the holder's name, a serial number, an expiration date, a copy of the certificate holder's public key and the digital signature of the certificate issuing authority. A private key is also issued to the certificate holder who should not disclose it to anyoneelse. Certificates are unique to each holder and may be revoked by an issuer if the holder is no... ...using the sender's private key. The encrypted hash may then be used as a digital signature for the message that is being transmitted. The originalmessage, the digital signature and the transmitter's digital certificate are all sent to a rec ipient who, in... to step S191 inwhich the expiry date of the certificate is checked, and the digital signature confirmed as having signedthe message. If the certificate has expired, or themessage issent anddetails of any transaction associated with thetransmission such as monetary value, account number etc. If the certificate has already been marked asrevoked in step S196 then control......Certain certificates are issued only for use inconjunction with monetary transactions. For example, the 'warranty certificate' issued by some on-linebanking organisations, such as Identrus, as a warrantyto the receiver of the signed transmission. Such warranty certificates testify that the sender of thetransmission is a customer of an Identrus member...checks on any given digital certificate need only bemade every 30 days. Again, the number of days specified n both of these branches, is left to

the user of the...the case of an eCommercetransaction, the issuer of the Digital Certificate willconfirm a

warranty for the amount promised in thetransaction. Control next passes to step S212, in which electronic records or byactively storing copies of any electronic records infiles on his computer. The reliance on manual methodsto ensure these records are maintained is clearly bothunreliable... ... be simply the URL of thesite. In this case the preferred system may be configured to record all data transmitted to a web pagewhich has been identified as that of an on-line tradingcompany, other indications might be an identified credit card number, an electronic receipt, an e-mailacknowledging the sale, use of a digital certificate, in particular a digital warranty certificate, or apurchase code. Once a transaction has been identified asoccurring, the preferred.....may be stopped when the end of the transaction is identified or after apredefined number of transmissions between the purchaser and the trader have taken place. Similarly, once a transaction has been identified, the preferred system may record in the database a predefined number of cached transmissions that took place immediately before the first recognised transmission of thetransactionthe first indication that a transmission is occurring is the detection of a credit card number or an electronic receipt, since these are likely to received at the veryend of transactions usually involve the transmission of personal information, such name and address, credit card number or other accountidentifying information, secure links are usuallynegotiated as a matter of coursethen control passes to decision step S260. Indecision step S260, the first of a number of checks on the content of the transmission are made in order to determine whether.....In step S260, the transmission is scanned to see if it contains a credit card number. The method for doingthis has been described with reference to Figure S. If a credit card number is found in the transmission thenit is assumed that a transaction must be occurring and control passes to step S258 at which the module exits if no credit card number is found then control passesinstead to decision step \$262 where the transmission isscanned.....be identified from descriptive data in the transmission such as afield name like "Account Number" or similar charactersappearing in the text of a message. If in decision step S262...data tree which sub-divides into two separate sub-branches called Aldentification@ andATermination@. The Identification branch is itselfdivided into five sub-branches which correspond to the determinations made in step S256 of the process shown in Figure 12. The next sub-branch of the identification branchis entitled AIfCreditCardNumberPresent@ and allows theuser to specify whether the detection of a credit card number should or should not be used to initiate recording of data being transmitted or received......corresponds to decision step S260. The Previous Pages sub-branch of the If Credit Card Number Present branch lists the number of web pages, prior to the web page in which the credit card number was detected, which should also berecorded. Since credit card numbers are normally submitted at... ... explained in more detail with reference to Figure 14. The next sub-branch of the Identification branchtree is entitled AIfAccounts Code Present@ and allows a5 user to specify whether or not the Account Codes sub-branch of the If Account Code Present branch. Note that this table also shows the **number** of previous pages to record, in a similar manner to that described above for credit card identification, howeverin this case the number of previous pages to record isstored in table r allowing a different number of pagesto be specified for each detected account code. The IfKnownRCommerceSite branch allows the... ... may be detected, in this case key wordslisted in table t, and also the number of previous 5 pages that are required to be stored if key words are detected.....recording should stop and recording should stop after the receipt of 20web pages following identification that a transaction is occurring. It must be stressed that policy data shown in thisdiagram, in particular, but also in the other diagramsis unique to each user. Not only may a user specifywhether or not particular conditions are....be acted onby setting the Yes or No variable accordingly, or by changing the number of pages that are to be recorded for example, but also the structure and arrangement...scenario in which the amount of data to recordis specified in terms of the number of web pages thatare to be retrieved from the pages cached in memory. The number differs depending on whether a credit cardnumber, an account code or a keyword is identified. Furthermore, table r shows that with the recognition of different account codes the number of previous webpages to store might be different, reflecting therelative importance of the... ... cache are retrieved. In the case of a webbrowser, this may be a determined number of priorpages, as described above. Where the transaction was detected in a web browser...order is received.

Alternatively, recording oftransmissions may caused to stop after a pre-determined number of transmissions between the user and the otherparty have occurred, or if a certain... ... keepsthe memory required for the cache memory low, as well- 75 as reducing the number of previous transmissions that need to be searched if searching techniques are to beemployed.....as forming part of thetransaction, since it will contain commoncharacteristics, such as order number, account number, goods description, price etc. It may also be sent from an address similar to the... ...this by recording additional information, such as theamount of time a purchase takes, the number of5 keystrokes and mouse clicks required to complete apurchase, the amount of 'idle... ...last timestamps could berecorded in the database and the transaction durationcalculated later. The number of keystrokes and mouseclicks can be determined in a Microsoft Windows basedsystem byen-us/dnmgmt/html/msdn-hooks32.asp)- 77 The preferred system maintains counters of thenumber of keystrokes (using the WH-KEYBOARD hook) andmouse clicks (using the WH-MOUSE hook... ... and the last transmissionare added together, and the result, which will be thetotal number of keystrokes and mouse clicks during theoverall transaction, is stored in the database in...be caused to require approval, or alle-mails containing predetermined information recognisedvia keyword identification. If it is determined in step \$292 that no approvalis required, control passes directly... ... may even be an automated process. In the case of a large company with a number ofdepartments, it maybe advantageous to have a group of approvers for each department, each ... encryption strengths for various types of data. The policy data takes the formof a number of key-value pairs arranged on separatebranches of the policy data tree. The key... ...numbers. for example, are listed along withcorresponding encryption strengths specific to each password or number once a security rating has been assigned, theplug-in module interrogates either the web...a difference in thedetermined desirable level of security and that being provided in a number of ways and that the actionsoutlined above are only illustrative. Further actions that may for doing this was described earlierwith reference to Figure B. If no credit card number is detected in the data then control passes to step S314in which the module.....Assigning a securityrating is then simply a matter of looking up password credit card number or other data in the policy data andreading off the corresponding rating. References to...In determining whether to re-direct suchmessages the preferred system takes into account anumber of factors including the identity of the sender, the identity of the intended recipient, the...module is shown in Figure

20 Figure 19 is a policy data tree having a number of

branches which correspond to decision steps in Figure 520. The plug-in module... sent. For example, the sensitive nature of the e-mail can be determined by a number of methods including scanning itf or keywords such as conf idential or 'by checking contains a number of sub-branches specifying parameters against which command values can be set. For example, the...In determining which course of action to take, thepreferred system takes into account a number offactors, including the nature of the message content(including any attachments), the identity of.....to decisionstep S414, where as before, the e-mail text is searchedfor a number of keywords which might indicate that itcontains sensitive data and requires a digital signature. Depending on whether the e-mail contains such sensitive keywords, the user of the e....specified on the CertificatesUsed branch under theDenySigning branch, and specifies the issuer, type, certificate number or signing key of digital certificates that are deemed of interest. Should the digital certificate...The system of claim 270 wherein said analyseris operable to record a pre-determined number of subsequent transmissions of said outbound data or said inbound data following an identification of the existence of a transaction by said analyser, providing that the address or organisation... ... of the nature of the transaction, and said rules ofsaid policy data define the number of subsequenttransmissions of said outbound data and said inbounddata that are to be.....280. The system of claim 278 wherein said rules ofsaid policy data' define the number of subsequenttransmissions of sa d outbound and said inbound datathat are to be... ... or said inbound data that occurwithin a pre-determined amount of time following anidentification of the existence of a transaction bysaid analyser, providing that the address oronganisation...291. The system of claim 290 wherein said rules ofsaid policy data specify the number of web pages that are to be retrieved from those previously stored immemory in... ...said outbound data is transmitted or saidinbound data is received, account code or reference

number, 294. The system of claim 270 wherein saidapplication is operable to store all of...data. 300. The system of claim 270 wherein theanalyser is operable to determine the **number** ofkeystrokes or mouse-clicks made in order to complete the transaction, and cause this... system of claim 320 wherein saidanalysing means is operable to record a pre-determined number of subsequent transmissions of said outbound5 data or said inbound data following an identification of the existence of a transaction by said analysing means, providing that the address or of the nature of the transaction, and saidrules of said policy data define the number of subsequent transmissions of said outbound data and saidinbound data that are to be......330. The system of claim 328 wherein said rules of said policy data define the number of subsequenttransmissions of said outbound and said inbound datathat are to be stored... ...or said inbounddata that occur within a pre-determined amount of timefollowing an identification of the existence of atransaction by said analysing means, providing that theaddress or... 341. The system of claim 340 wherein said rules of said policy data specify the **number** of web pages that are to be retrieved from those previously stored inmemory in... ...said outbound datais transmitted or said inbound data is received, account code or reference number. - 190 344. The system of claim 320 wherein saidapplication means is operable to store The system of claim 320 wherein the 5 analysing means is operable to determine the **number** ofkeystrokes or mouse-clicks made in order to complete the transaction, and cause this...378. The method of claim 370 further comprising the step of recording a pre-determined number of subsequent transmissions of said outbound data or saidinbound data following an identification of the existence of a transaction in said analysing step, providing that the address orof the nature of the transaction, and saidrules@of said policy data define the **number** of subsequent transmissions of said outbound data and saidinbound data that are to be... ... 380. The method of claim 378 wherein said rules of said policy data define the **number** of subsequenttransmissions of said outbound and said inbound datathat are to be stored...or said inbound data that occur within a pre-determined amount of time following an identification of the existence of a transaction insaid analysing step, providing that the address or.....391. The method of claim 390 wherein said rules ofsaid policy data specify the number of web pages that are to be retrieved from those previously stored inmemory in.....said outbound data-is transmitted or saidinbound data is received, account code or referencenumber. 394. The method of claim 370 further comprising the steps of storing all of said... transactiondata.400. The method of claim 370 wherein saidanalysing step includes determining the number ofkeystrokes or mouse-clicks made in order to complete the transaction, and causing this...on saidcomputer is further operable to control the computer torecord a pre-determined number of subsequenttransmissions of said outbound data or said inbounddata following an identification of the existence of atransaction, providing that the address or organisation to which the... ... the nature of the transaction, and said rules of 5 said policy data define the number of subsequenttransmissions of said outbound data and said inbounddata that are to be... ... computer program product of claim 428wherein said rules of said policy data define thenumber of subsequent transmissions of said outbound andsaid inbound data that are to be stored... ...orsaid inbound data that occur within a pre-determined amount of time following an identification of the existence of a transaction, providing that the addressor organisation to which the...computer program product of claim 440wherein said rules of said policy data specify the**number** of web pages that are to be retrieved from those previously stored in memory in... wherein said program code when executed on said, computer is further operable to determine the number ofkeystrokes or mouse-clicks made in order to complete the transaction, and cause this...inbound data, and to identifyoutbound data or inbound data that contains a creditcard number as transaction data.482. The system of claim 481 wherein said policydata specifies pre...inbound data, andto identify outbound data or inbound data that contains a credit card number as transaction data 510. The system of claim 509'wherein said policydata specifies pre...said inbound data, andidentifying outbound data or inbound data that contains a credit card number as transaction data 538. The method of claim 537 wherein said policydata specifies pre...inbound data, and toidentify outbound data or inbound data that contains acredit card number as transaction data. - 24 4 566. The computer program product of claim 565wherein said...said digital certificateholder's identity, the expiry date of said digitalcertificate, the issue number of said digitalcertificate, and the domain name from which the signeddata was received.....digital certificate, the account code from which any

payment is being made, a credit card **number**, one or more indicators of thenature of the transaction, and wherein said rulesofsaid...saiddigital certificate holder's identity, the expiry dateof said digital certificate, the issue **number** of saiddigital certificate, and the domain name from which the signed data was received......digital certificate, the account code from which any payment isbeing made, a credit card **number**, one or more indicators of the nature of the transaction, andwherein said rules of...said digital certificate holder's identity, the expiry date of saiddigital certificate, the issue **number** of said digital certificate, and the domain name from which the signeddata was received......digital certificate, the account code from'which any payment is being made, a credit card **number**, one or more indicators of the nature of thetransaction, and wherein said rules of...said digital certificateholder's identity, the expiry date of said digital certificate, the issue **number** of said digital certificate, and the domain name from which the signeddata was received......digital certificate, the account code from whichany payment is being made, a credit card **number**, one ormore indicators of the nature of the transaction, andwherein said rules of...

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Further illustratively, the infonnation includes the vehicle's vehicle identification nuniber (VIN).

Further illustratively, the method includes maintaining a data set containing, by VIN, a year of manufacture (year) of the vehicle, a manufacturer identification (make) of the vehicle, a model designation of the vehicle (model), and a body style... ... 1 5 infori-nation concerning a year of manufacture (year) of the vehicle, a inanufacturer identification (make) of the vehicle, a model designation of the vehicle (model), and a body style... ... to remit a refund payment.

lilustratively, the method further includes executing the document via a digital signature.

Further illustratively, the method includes manually executing the document.

Additionally illustratively, directing the second insurance...the car is parked at night in Zip Code widget 3004. The user enters the **number** of years the primary driver of this vehicle has been continuously insured in Years Insured... ...The user selects a range of miles from Miles widget 3006 corresponding to either the **number** of miles driven one way if the user commutes, or, the **number** of miles driven daily if the user does not commute. The user then indicates the... ...Theuserindicatesthe

occupation by selecting an occupation from Occupation List widget 3109. The user indicates the **number** of years the driver has been employed in this occupation in Years Employed widget 31 1 0. The user indicates the **number** of years this driver has been licensed to drive in the United States by entering... where a driver has been licensed for less than three years or has a significant **number** of accidents. If the driver is deemed to be insurable, the system responds with third... State widget 5007, Zip Code widget

5008, Homewidget 5009, Business widget 5010, Bothwidget 5011. Phone Area

Code widget 5012, Phone Number widget 5013, Fax Arca Code widget 5014, Fax Number widget 5015, Driver's License Number widget 5016, Issuing State widget 5017, Email Address ...home address, business address or both. The user enters a phone arca code and phone number and fax arca code and fax number in Phone Arca Code widget 5012, Phone Number widget 5013, Fax Arca Code widget 5014 and Fax Number widget 5015, respectively.

The user enters the policy holder's driver's license **number** in Driver's License **Number** widget 5016 and also the issuing state of the policy holder's driver's license.....00 (see Fig. 5A) if there is a second driver on the policy, or Car **Identification** Data page 5200 (see Fig. 5B) If there is no second driver on the policy......Purchase page 51 00 if there are additional drivers on the policy, or with Car **Identification** Data page 5200, Fig. 5B, If there are no more

additional drivers on the policy.

Car Identification Data page 5200 includes matrix 5210, Clear widget 5221 and Next widget 5222. Matrix 521... reading from cach

vehicle in Odometer widgets 5211 and 5214. The user enters the vehicle

identification number for each vehicle in VIN widgets 5212 and 5215. The user enters the name of... ... Monthly widget 5301, Six

Month widget 5302, MasterCard widget 5303, Visa widget 5304, Credit Card Number widget 5305, Expiration Date widget 5306, Social Security Number widget 5307, 1 5 First Name widget 5308, Middle Initial widget 5309, Last Name widget......Billing Address widget 531 1, City widget 5312, State widget 5313, Zip Code 5314, Phone Number widget 5315, Policy Email Address widget 5316 Update widget 5317 and Next widget 5318. The... ...desires to use to make payments for the policy. The user enters the credit card number to be used for payments in Credit Card Number widget 5305, and further enters the expiration date for that credit card in Expiration Date widget 5306. The user enters the social security number of the credit card holder ni Social Security Card widget 5307. The user enters the......5313 and Zip Code 5314, respectively.

The user enters the credit card holder's telephone **number** in Telephone **Number** widget 5315. The user enters the address to send renewal and billing notices in Email...

Claims:

...so, the user provides the nanle of his or her current insurance provider and the **number** of his or her current policy. The system then generates a document indicating the custorner....so, the user provides the name of his or her current insurance provider and the **number** of his or her current policy. The system then electronically generates a document indicating the......It to the new insurance provider, or the user executes the document electronically via a **digital signature** which is immediately received by the new insurance provider. Thereafter, the new insurance provider contacts......which a user

enters information regarding personal property. The information includes such elements as model number, serial number, description, purchase price, purchase location, and the llke for each plece of property. Users may... ...illustrated in Fig. 10, or, if they purchase insurance from an insurance provider using a computer, in which specific property is iternized, such as automobile insurance or riders to a homcowner... ... on the packaging of most products, or the products then is elves, and the insurance provider's computer performs a database query to determine appropriate product detalls from a farrilly of databases licensed... user is required to enter to complete a record using this method are: UPC, serial number, date of purchase, place of purchase, and purchase price. Additionally, If a credit card was... ...enter information pertaining to the property into a database. The user also enters the serial number of the property in order to specify the exact item to be insured. The data... ...modify the descriptions of items of personal property, delete items of personal property, use a warranty service, file a claim, use the replacement service for approved claims, or shop for merchandise.....off the items that were lost or damaged and enter a police or fire report number, as illustrated in Fig. 10E. The system quickly calculates a clalm setuement. This settlement typically...theuser will have the option to direct the insurance provider to automatically subi-nit warranty cards to manufacturers for all itenis of personal property the user enters Into the database in the future. To accomplish this, the user enters standard warranty card data, for example, llame and address, orily one time. Froin that: point forward, whenever... ...needs to enter product information as described above, and the system, will automatically create a warranty card, and transmit the card to the manufacturer electronically if possible, or otherw(inverted exclamation.....and the horne replacement value. Home replacement value is calculated based on home size, home configuration (ranch, split level, two story, etc.), the home's external construction materials, the

home's....poured, basement brick, no basement, etc.), whether the horne's basement: is finished, the roof configuration (number of faces, number of edges, pitch, etc.), the home's roof materials (slate, shingle, composite, steel, tile, etc....effect relationship to customer segments may be used to allocate costs. These operational variables include number of claims, number of calls, call duration, call complexity, number of policies, and other similar variables. Fixed costs that are directly related to customer support... ... such as corporate headquarters heating costs and electricity costs, are allocated in proportion to the number of customers in each segment. To the extent that multiple insurance product lines consume the...costs are then factored into the labor coniponent of the replacement value equation. Horrie size, configuration, and materials data are combined to generate an estimate of the "materials" component of the... ... replacement values very precisely. Tuming to dashed line box 3 of Fig. 11, a computer evaluates variances between currenfly stored pricing and the newly calculated pricing resulting from the algoritIun to the partner. The customer's experience with the merchant is synchronized via the partner identification and customer identification with the merchant's business infrastructure. The customer experience is coordinated on the "back end...encoding forinats and different data packets can be supported concurrently. Additionally, the system can be configured to used secure Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP) over the public interest or use dedicated connectivityformatted information exchange at both ends. The infori-nation typically includes the partner name, customer identification provided by the partner, and customer information. It detects whether the merchant connection is alive......Unifori-n Resource Locator (URL) referral. The user redirection should contain at least the customer identification, generated by the partner, to map the user being redirected to the information already mapped.....that the merchant's website is not available, and providing a customer service representative teleplione number. Whenever the merchant website is not available at the time a redirection is attempted, the... support twerity siniultaneous connections from a particular partner. Partners should receive monthly reports detailing the number of leadsreported from their websites to the merchant. Depending upon the business arrangements between.....application. An illustrative errorformat would be: <?ml version="yes"?><Transaction><Header><ApplicationID >A123987456</Application ID><Return Code>222</ReturniCode></Header>-,@@/Transaction>wh ere 222 is the error code and A123987456 is the partner-generated customer

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...Header></Transaction>where 0 is the success code and A123987456 is the partner-generated customer ID. On receiving a successful acknowledgment, the partner's web server initiates the user redirection pliase... ...the error and redirect the user to error pages, with a customer service representative's number for both the partner and the merchant.Refeming now particularly to Fig. D, this implementation... ...illustrative error fonnat is as follows:<?xml version="1.0" standalone="yes"?><Transaction><Header><Application.ID >Al23987456</ApplicationID><RetumCode>222</ReturnCod e><Header><Transaction>A time out error occurs when the connection...Transaction>where 0 is the success code and Al 23987456 is the partner-generated customer ID. The user session is already on the merchant's web server. The customer goes through... ...vehicle.

- 3 The method of claim 2 wherein the information includes the vehicle's vehicle **identification number** (VIN).
- 4 The method of claim 3 further including maintaining a data set containing, by VIN, a year of manufacture (year) of the vehicle, a manufacturer identification (make) of the vehicle, a model designation of the vehicle (model), and a body style... ...infoririationinciudes transmitting infonnation concerning a year of manufacture (year) of the vehicle, a manufacturer identification (make) of the vehicle, a model designation of the vehicle (model), and a body style...refund payment.
- 31 The method of claim 30 further including executing tile document via a **digital signature**.
- 32 The method of clalm 30 further including manually executing

the document.

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METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR ENABLING BRAND-IMAGE COMMUNICATION BETWEEN VENDORS AND CONSUMERS

PROCEDE ET SYSTEME PERMETTANT DE COMMUNIQUER UNE IMAGE DE MARQUE ENTRE DES VENDEURS ET DES CONSOMMATEURS

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...GE, GIL GM, 11R, For two-letter codes and other abbreviations, refer to the "GuidHIJ, ID, IL, IN, IS, JP, KE, KG, KP, KR, KZ, LC, LK, LR, ance Notes on... ... an Internetbased product information database subsystem which, for each commercially available consumer-product, stores a number of information elements including: the name of the manufacturer; the Universal Product Code (UPC) assigned...a predesignated information resource pertaining to any commercial product having been assigned a Universal Product Number (UPN) can be accessed from the Internet and displayed from the Internet browser by simply...Registration Mode, in which the physical CPI kiosk is ready to be programmed with manufacturer identification numbers (MINs) against the physical CPI kiosk s identification number; and (2) the retailer reading the UPC symbol labels on different brands of consumer products ... system, wherein the InternetBased Consumer Product Promotion Marketing, Programming, Management And Delivery Subsystem supports a number of information services for promoters, namely: Registration of Promoter/Creation of Promotion Account; Log....promotion spot marketing/sales/management web server, in which the request includes the promoter's identification number; (2) receiving and parsing this directory request to determine the promoter's identification number; (3) using the data tables of the UPN/TM/PDAJRL RDBMS and the promoter's identification number to determine the list of manufacturers (by their MINs) who have retained the identified promoter several factors, such as for example: (1) the amount of "consumer-activity" (i.e. the number of consumer product information requests made/placed) at the particular kiosk over, for example, the....higher promotion fees associated with promotion slots maintained in its promotion queue; and (2) the number of product promotion campaigns created and scheduled to run (on a given day) within a... several factors, such as for example: (1) the amount of "consumer-activity" (i.e. the **number** of consumer product information requests made/placed) at the particular kiosk over, for example, the....higher advertising fees associated with advertising slots maintained in its advertising queue; and (2) the number of product advertising campaigns created and scheduled to run (on a given day) within a... ...products to be covered in the kiosk promotion directory, and the (H) the promoter's identification number; (2) receiving and parsing this directory request to determine the trademark(s) of products to be covered in the kiosk promotion directory, and also the promotion identification number; (3) using the data tables in the UPN/TM/PDIURL RDBMS and the promotion identification number to which consumer products carry such trademarks (i.e. brand names) and also the UPNs...several factors, such as for example: (1) the amount of "consumer-activity" (i.e. the number of consumer product information requests made/placed) at the particular kiosk over, for example, the....higher advertising fees associated with advertising slots maintained in its advertising queue; and (2) the number of product advertising campaigns created and scheduled to run (on a given day) within a...

Claims:

...embedded within HTML-encoded documents served to the client machine from any one of a number of potential http information servers on the Internet. Fig. 2132 is a block schematic diagram... ... embedded within HTML-encoded documents served to the client machine from any one of a number of potential http infori-nation servers on the Internet. Fig. 2133 is a block schematic... ... embedded within HTML-encoded documents served to the client machine from any one of a number of potential http information servers on the Internet. Fig. 2B4 is a block schematic diagram... ... different types of multi-media consumer product related information, as well as the Universal-Product-Number /trademark/productdescriptor/Universal-Resource-Locator (UPN/TM/PD/TJRL) links based on the type of...TMi) registered by the associated Company, E-Mall Address (EMAj) thereof symbolically-linked for a number of exemplary Non-IPI registrants listed within the Non-IPI Registrant Database maintained by each...13 hereof will preferably have a three-field Netscape-style display framework which provides a unique and effective way of satisfactorily addressing the needs of consumers, hosting retailers, manufacturers and the... Server I I is interfaced with an ISP 10A in a conventional manner. The actual number of IPD Servers II used in any particular application will depend on various factors including...conventional manner. Each such IPI Server 12 is assigned a static IP address and a unique domain name on the Internet. Each IPI Server 12 is also provided with (i) Web... ... conventional manner. Each such client subsystem may be assigned a static IP address and a unique domain name on the Internet, or one may be dynamically assigned thereto by way of...displayed thereon in response to the entry of the UPC numbers scanned into the UPC Number Entry Window 21D below the IPI Finder button 21A of Control Strip 20B displayed on...keyboard 61 B, and a price/UPC Database 6 1 C containing price and UPC number information tables; a Web-enabled computer terminal 62 connecting the POS station 61 to the.....digital communication technology (e.g. RF-based

Page I 10I I I aged31soq id sauqvuopunj oums Dip 6AIqlnofq -UOIIUQAUI luosaidposTq-qoAk DIP UT.q)!A*t PDp!AO.....opoo iuq u JO uuoj Dip u! pazilpai aq osle Am f I UOTIUOAUI ju=) id oql JO walsxs j;)Indtuoo juatlo aq) 'DAoqvu!olz)q quoj IDS UOIIU;)AUI JUOSQJj...However, Web-based the product promotion kiosk of Figs. 3A19C and 3Al9D also includes a number of important intelligence functionalities which makes it particular well suited for product advertising and promotion....more (pairs of) fi-ames perPage 122second to collect accurate information about the number of eyes gazing at the displayed advertisements, within the field of view of the kiosk...kiosk, and eventually be compared against the eye-tracking data recorded thereon to determine the number of eyes which gazed at each product advertisement/promotion displayed on each product promotion kiosk.....for stori

ng information (e.g. numeric or

alphanumeric string) representative of the Universal Product Number (e.g. twelve-digit UPC Version A number, eight-digit UPC Version E number, thirteen-digit UPCIEAN number, orPage 123twelve-digit UPC Version A number plus five-digit Add-On Code Segment number frequently used in the publishing industry) assigned to the consumer product; a Company Name Information...the bars and spaces of the UPC label itself), comprises: (i) a six digit manufacturer number assigned to the manufacturer by the Uniform Code Council, Inc. (UCC) of Dayton, Ohio, and consisting of a one digit number system number and a five digit manufacturer code; (ii) a five digit product number assigned to the product by the manufacturer; and (iii) a one digit modulo check digit (mathematically calculated) and added to each UPC number to check that the code has been read correctly by the bar code symbol reader... ... subsystem, the URL Information Field of the IPI Database shown in Fig. 4AI contains a number of information subfields. As shown in Fig. 4A2, these information subfields comprise: a Product Advertisement... models. Ideally, such video recordings, linked to particular articles of wearing apparel by their UPC number, can be used to extend and augment the advertising campaign being carried out in other......Field for storing information (e.g. numeric or alphanumeric string) representative of the Universal Product Number (e.g. a UPC number from a UPC numbering system, or an EAN numbering system) assigned to the non-registered.....the Non-IPI Registrant Database shown in Fig. 4B can be readily obtained from a number of commercially or publicly available information sources (e.g., the Universal Code Council, Inc., Dayton... ... of the IPI Finding and Serving

Subsystem 2 hereof depends in large part on the number of consumer-products registered with the IPI and Non-IPI Registrant Databases supported within the... ... each and every the manufacturer having been issued, for example, a six digit UPC Manufacturer Identification Number (MIN) by the UCC, Inc. Such electronic documents can be transmitted using conventional MIME protocols.....the administrator of the IP1 Registrant Database (for each of its consumer products) its UPC number and a menu of categorized URLs indicating the location of the information resources identified in.....ftp, EDI or XML/ICE) described hereinabove. According to a fourth database construction technique, a number of commercial online Internet search engines, such as AltaVista", Yahoo", WebCrawler", Lycos", Excite", as well...of manufacturers of UPClabeled products. Such information items include: (1) the six digit UPC Manufacturer Identification Numbers encoded in the UPC symbols (and numbers) applied to the products of such UCC... ...manufacturers. The first step of this database construction method involves obtaining the six digit Manufacturer Identification Numbers (MINs) uniquely issued to manufacturers by the Uniform Code Council, Inc. of Dayton, Ohio.....Quick Response Services, Inc.), as well as the UCC. At present, about 180,000 Manufacturers Identification Numbers have been issued to manufacturers by the UCC. A string of six zeros (i... ...may be added to each one of these 180,000 or so six digit Manufacturer Identification Numbers in order to produce 180,000 or so 12 digit numbers (i.e. hereinafter... ...so manufacturers listed in the IPI Registrant Database under construction. As each such Manufacturer Reference Number has the same length as a UPC number of its manufacturer, this number can be conveniently thought of as the Manufacturer Reference UPC

Number which can be stored in the UPN Information Field of the Database along with the... Page 133As shown in Fig. 2B 1, the Java Web Server II includes a number of software components including the Java ServIet API which comprises several Java interfaces and fully...authoring the source code for the Applet, the CPIR-enabling Java servlet is ascribed a unique name such as, for example, "UPNXXXXXXYYYYYZ" for a 12 digit Uniform Product Code. Reference can... ... a new servlet, the following procedure is performed: Enter in the Servlet Name field, the unique name for the CPIR-enabling Java servlet one is loading onto the Java Web Server... ... Block B3 in Fig. 4EI, the fifth step of the method involves (1) embodying the unique URL, created for each consumer product, within a CPIR-enabling servlet HTML tag < SERVLET>, (2... AsymmetricCipher algorithm) keys as defined in the RSA Laboratory Technical Note PKCS#l, and DSA (Digital Signature Algorithm) keys as defiried in NIST'sFIPS(30) -java.securily.spec: Provides classes and classes (a string tokenizer, a random-number generator, and a bit array). (34) java.util.ja: Provides classes for reading and writing...authoring the source code for the CPIR-enablig Java Applet, the Applet is ascribed a unique name such as, for example, "UPNXXXXXXYYYYYZ" for a 12 digit Uniform Product Code. As indicated...a particular company in which a consumer is considering buying, keeping or selling a particular number of financial securities. Also, while conducting such on-line CPI research, the consumer may also...Registration Form ispresented (i.e. displayed) and the manufacturer then enter s some requested identification

information (e.g. Manufacturer s Company Name, Address, Name of CEO and President, phone number, 6-digit Manufacturer Identification Number assigned by the UCC, etc.) and presses the Send button on the Manufacturer Registration Form... ...only to the manufacturer s products. Thus, when the manufacturer attempts to enter a UPC number into the manufacturer s UPN/TM/PD/URL database that does not contain the 6-digit Manufacturer Identification Number assigned to the manufacturer by the UCC, the RDBMS automatically blocks all such information entries... manufacturer (i.e. using UPC numbers not containing the manufacturer s 6-digit UCC Manufacturer Identification Number), the limitedversion of the UPN/TM/PD1URL database will automatically display an HTML-encoded message...below, this UPN/TM/PD/URL data linking function can be realized in a number of different ways. One way of realizing this UPN/TM/PD/URL linking function is...use any HTML format commands, such as headers, paragraphs, and lists, but must include three unique items, namely: the METHOD by which the user input is to be sent; the ACTION.....Internet via HTTP. In the illustrative embodiment, user input (i.e. a UPC or EAN number associated with a particular consumer product) is obtained by an Input Box, which allows the.....Internet and containing information relating to the consumer product having the input UPC or EAN

number. The result returned from the RDBMS 9 is an ASCII record specif@@ing the set... ... and containing infori-nation relating to the consumer product having the input UPC or EAN number entered into the HTML form. In order for the Web browser of the requesting client... ... use any HTML format commands, such as headers, paragraphs, and lists, but must include three unique items, namely: the METHOD by which the user input is to be sent; the ACTION... ... Internet via HTTP. In the illustrative embodiment, user input (i.e. a UPC or EAN number associated with a particular consumer product) is obtained by an Input Box, which allows the... ...retail sales clerk or consumer) to type in or scan in a UPC or EAN number assigned to a consumer product on which product related information is sought. Page 190Page...use any HTML format commands, such as headers, paragraphs, and lists, but must include three unique items, namely: the METHOD by which the user input is to be sent; the ACTION... ... an Input Box listing all triplet data sets (i.e. Product Description, Manufacturers and UPN number) satisfying the input trademark search criteria entered in the primary Web input document, described hereinabove...includes an Input Box listing all triplet data sets (i.e. Trademark, Manufacturer, and UPN number) satisfying the input product-description search criteria entered in the primary Web input document, described...Such information resources can include advertisements, specifications, operation descriptions, product simulations, purchase information, maintenance information, warranty and servicing information, product updates, distributor/reseller information, incentives (e.g. discounts, rebates, coupons, etc... ... using the seeded IPI Database described hereinabove, only the first six digits of the UPC number need be entered into the dialogue box. An exemplary display screen produced from the IRD...client subsystem 13. Such information resources can include advertisements, specifications, operation descriptions, product simulations, product upgrade information, purchase information, maintenance information, warranty and servicing information, etc. In this mode, desired product information is obtained by simply entering... ...BRANDKEY REQUEST" Universal Product InformationFinding and Serving System. Simply enter the 12 digit UPC number of the particular product, click REQUEST, and select from the displayed menu of Web locators... ...find the desired product information on the WWW. If you do not know the UPC number associated with the product you are looking for, then simply enter the trademark used...using voice recognition command technology embodied within the kiosk; by reading a bar coded consumer identification card 150, as shown in Fig. 3A I OB, having the consumers e-mail address and possibly other information items (e.g. shopper/consumer identification number, credit card information, name, address and/or status within a particular loyalty/courtesy program encoded therewithin if desired; or, by reading a magnetic-stripe type consumer identification card 150 encoded with the same or similar information using a magnetic stripe reader 46 ... being displayed on the display screen of the kiosk. Typically, there will be a maximum number of documents to be attached to the CPI-enabling envelope using present e-mail protocols at 6 understood, however, that a larger number of documents may be transportable within a single e-mail envelope using future 3-mail... ... by the kiosk itself-, using voice recognition command technology; by reading a bar coded consumer identification card 150, as shown in Fig. 3A10B, having the consumer s e-mail address and possibly other information items (e.g. shopper/consumer identification number, credit card information, name, address, and/or status within a particular retailer loyalty/country program) encoded therewithin if desired; or by reading a magnetic-stripe type consumer identification card 150 encoded with the same or similar information using a magnetic stripe reader 46... Within the realm of the BRANDKEY " System 2, the function of the Web-enabled client computer system 13 of each consumer, wherever it may be located (e.g. at home, in... ... Website which is freely served over the Internet to any consumer having aWeb-enabled computer system. Unlike each BRANDKEY REQUEST RETAIL Websitemaintained by the BRANDKEY REQUEST" RDBMS 9, the ... the WWW Home Page of any registered manufacturer by entering the UPN (or UPC/EAN number) on any product into the search screen served up by a particular BRANDKEY REQUEST" Retailer...on the Internet (e.g. WWW). In such application environments, the UPN can be any unique number assigned to the information-carrying product embodied in any physical medium. In general, each UPN.....such as a bar code symbol structure, associated h the information-carrying product. Preferably, each unique UPN will be assigned to thewitinformation-carrying product by a source of an Figs. 2EI, each content section in the Web-based document is assigned a Universal Product Number (UPN) (i.e. UPN-encoded bar code ... URL. Likewise, each advertising section in the Web-based document is assigned a Universal Product Number (UPN) which is symbolically linked or related to a particular advertising section on the corresponding...a particular manufacturer or retailer or working as an advertising agent therefor) to perform a number of functions, namely: (1) register with the system 2% (2) log onto the Kiosk Advertisement... ... a particular retailer or manufacturer or working as an promotional agent therefor) to perform a number of functions. namely: (1) register with system 2; (2) log onto the CPI KioskPromotion...CPI) Link Creation, Management and Transport (LCMT) Subsystem 501 of the illustrative embodiment comprises a number of system components. namely: a web-based manufacturer registration and UPN/TM/PD/TJRL link ... Product Information (CPI) Kiosk Configuration, Deployment, Management and Access Subsystem 504 is realized by a number of system components, namely: UPN/TM/PD/URL RDBMS 9; a plurality of mirrored Physical...the RDBMS table entitled MANUFACTURER in theillustrative embodiment of the present invention, comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: Company (Manufacturer's) Name; Street Address; City; State; Postal Code; County; MIN Assigned by UCC/EAN; URL of Manufacturer's WWW Site; Phone Number; Email Address; Fax Number; Standard Industry Codes (SIC) assigned to the products produced and/or sold by the manufacturer......for EDI B213; UPC Service Bureau Employed; UPC Service Bureau Contact; UPC Service Bureau Phone Number; UPC Service Bureau E-Mail; EDI Vendor Employed; EDI Vendor Contact Person; EDI Vendor Phone Number; EDI Vendor EMail Address; EDI Service Bureau Employed; EDI Service Contact; EDI Service Bureau Phone Number EDI Service Bureau E-Mail;

Number of UPC/TM/PD/URL SW Licenses; UPN/TM/PD/URL Management SW License Total; Total Number of UPC Numbers; Date of UPC Number Accounting; Annual UPC/TM/PD/URL Management SW Fee Due; Date of UPC/TM/PD....the illustrative embodiment of the present invention, comprises primary information fields, namely: Consumer Name; Consumer ID No.; E-Mail Address; Street Address; City; State; Postal Code; Phone Number; Shopped at Retail Store ID Nos.; Shopped at Retailer Store ID No.; Consumer Index 1; Consumer Index 2; .; Consumer Index N; Credit Card Nos.; and Date... ...information on consumers who register with the system, such as e-mail address, assigned consumer identification number(s), retail locations at which the consumer shops as well as various consumer indices which... ...primary information fields, namely: Advertiser Name; Street Address; City; State; Postal Code; Contact Person; Phone Number; E-Mail Address; Fax Number; Advertiser ID No.; Ad Agent for Manufacturer. #1; Ad Agent for Manufacturer #2; ; Ad Agent for Manufacturer.....Agent for Retailer. #1; Ad Agent for Retailer #2; Ad Agent for Retailer #N; Total Number of Retailer Agency Relations: URL for Advertiser WWW Site; Advertiser Network Acct. No.; Advertiser Network primary information fields, namely: Promoter Name; Street Address; City; State; Postal Code; Contact Person; Phone Number; E-Mail Address; Fax Number; Promoter ID No.; Promotion Agent for Manufacturer #1; Promotion Agent for Manufacturer #2; Promotion Agent for Manufacturer #N; Total Number of Manufacturer Agency Relations; Promotion Agent for Retailer #1; Promotion Agent for Page 242Retailer #2; ; Promotion Agent for Retailer ftN; Total Number of Retailer Agency Relations; URL for Promoter WVYIW Site; Promoter Network Acct. No.; Promoter Network...in theillustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises primary information fields, namely: Physical Kiosk ID No.; Retail P-Store ID No.; Physical Kiosk HTT Server URL; Assigned Static IP Address; P-Kiosk Aisle/Shelf Location....STORE in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises primary information fields. namely: Retailer ID No.; Address; City; State; Postal Code; Country; Retail P-store ID No.; Store Manager Identity; Store Manager Phone; Store Manager E-Mail; Regional Manager Identity; Regional Manager Phone; Regional Manager E-Mail; Number of Store Aisles; Number of Floors; Floor Plan Diagrams; Product Category/Shelf Maps; Available Internet Connectivity; Retailer/Manufacturer Relations....information fields, namely: Physical Kiosk http Server URL; Physical Kiosk http Server Log; Physical Kiosk ID No.; and Date of Last Record Update. This data table maintains information on each physicalKIOSKCATALOG in the illustrative embodiment comprises primary information fields, namely:Page 244Retail-Store ID No.; Physical Kiosk ID No. 1; Physical Kiosk ID No. 2; Physical Kiosk ID No. N; Total # of Physical Kiosks; and Date of Last Record Update. This data table.....bv each registered retailer is referred to as a "physical kiosk catalog". Notably, as the number and type of CP1 kiosks

deployed by a particular retailer will change over time in... ...in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises primary information fields, namely: Physical Kiosk ID No.; Physical Kiosk E-Mail Log; and Date of Last Record Update. This data table...the present invention comprises primary information fields, namely: Date(s) of Activity Measurement; Physical Kiosk ID No.; Number of HTML Pages Accessed; Number of BrandKey Requests at Kiosk; different HTML Pages Served-Up; Outgoing E-Mail Transmissions; System Mode Transitions; ECommerce Transactions Made; Number of BrandKey Requests at Kiosk; and Date of Last Record Update. This data table maintains......AD SPOT ORDER--VIRTUALKIOSK in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: UPN of Advertised Product; Virtual Kiosk ID No.; Scheduled Date of Ad Spot; Advertiser Placing Order; Date of Ad Spot Order; Advertiser ID No.; Cost of Ad Spot; URL of Advertisement Spot; Time Duration of Ad Spot; Copyright Owner of Advertisement; Ordered Number of Displays/Date; File Format of Advertisement; Virtual Kiosk Ad Spot ID No.; Actual Number of Displays/Date, Actual Number of Interruptions; Ad Spot Cost; Date of Ad Payment; and Date of Last Record Update... ... AD SPOT ORDER--PHYSICALKIOSK in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: UPN of Advertised Product; Physical Kiosk ID No.; Scheduled Date of Ad Spot; Advertiser Placing Order; Date of Ad Spot; Advertiser ID No.; Cost of Ad Spot; URL of Advertisement Spot; Time Duration of Ad Spot; Copyright Owner of Advertisement; Ordered Number of Displays/Date; File Format of Advertisement; Physical Kiosk Ad Spot ID No.; Actual number of Displays/Date; Actual Number of Interruptions, Ad Spot Cost, Date of Ad Payment, and Date of Last Effective Change... ...ORDER--PHYSICAL KIOSK, showing its primary information fields, namely: UPN of Promoted Product; Physical Klosk ID No.; Scheduled Date of Promotion Spot; Promoter Placing Order; Date of Promotion Spot Order; Promoter ID No.; URL of Promotional Ad in DF 1; Promotional Message in DF2; Promotional Message in... ...Promotional Message in DF4; Time Duration of Promotion Spot; Copyright Owner of Promotion Ad; Ordered Number of Displays/Date; File Format of Promotional Ad; Physical Kiosk Promotion Spot ID No.; Actual Number of Displays/Date; Actual Number of Interruptions, Cost of Promotion Spot; promo spot Payment; Date of Promotion Spot Payment; and... ...table entitled CPIR-ENABLING APPLET in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: CIPR-Enabling Applet ID No.; Type of CPIR-Enabling Applet; URL of CPIR-Enabling Applet BC; Virtual Kiosk ID No.; Virtual Kiosk Server Log; and Date of Last Record Update. This data table maintains... ... table entitled RETAILER E-STORE in theillustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: Retailer ID No.; Address; City; State; Postal Code; Country; Retail E-Store ID No.; E-Store Manager Identity; E-Store Manager Phone; E-store Manager E-Mall; E...PROMO SPOT ORDER--VIRTUAL KIOSK in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely, UPN of Promoted Product; Virtual Kiosk ID No.; Scheduled Date of Promotion Spot; Promoter Placing Order; Date of Promotion spot Order; Promoter ID No.; URL of Promotional Ad in DF I; Promotional Message in DF2; Promotional Message in... ...Promotional Message in DF4; Time Duration of Promotion Spot; Copyright Owner of Promotion Ad; Ordered Number of Displays/Date; File format of Promotional Ad; Virtual Kiosk Promotion spot ID No.; Actual Number of Displays/Date; Page 249Actual Number of Interruptions; Cost of Promotion Spot; Promotion Cost Payment; Date of Promotion Payment; and Date... ... entitled VIRTUAL KIOSK PROMOCAMPAIGN in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of i formation fields, namely: Virtual Kiosk ID No.; Date of Promotion Campaign; primary in Virtual Kiosk Promotion Spot ID No. 1; ...; Virtual Kiosk Promotion Spot ID No. N; Total Promotion Spots Ordered; and Date of Last Record Update. This data table... ... entitled VIRTUAL KIOSK ADCAMPAIGN in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: Virtual Kiosk ID No.; Date of Ad Campaign; Virtual Kiosk Ad Spot ID No. 1; Virtual Kiosk Ad Spot ID No. 2; ...; Virtual Kiosk Ad Spot No. N; Total Ad spots Ordered on Kiosk; Effective... ... AD CR-EDIT--PHYSICAL KIOSK in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of pnimary information fields, namely: Advertiser ID No.; Physical Kiosk ID No.; Physical Kiosk Ad Spot ID No.; UPN of Advertised Product; URL of Interrupted Ad; Date of Interruption; Time of Interruption... ... entitled AD

CREDIT-VIRTUAL KIOSKin the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: Advertiser ID No.; Virtual Kjosk ID No.; Virtual Kjosk Ad spot ID No.; URL of Advertised Product; URL of Interrupted Ad; Date of Interruption; Time of Interruption.....kiosk, which did not run/execute thereon due to, for example, the fact that the number of ad and/or promo spot orders put into the particular virtual kiosk's ad...to mitigate this problem, the present invention teaches enforcing/sctting an upper limit on the **number** of ad and promo spots which can be placed on a virtual or physical kiosk.....iii) as input to the algorithm. The output of the algorithm will be the total number of ad spot orders and total number of promo spot orders that can be put into the ad/promo spot queue 525 of the kiosk server 513 assigned to the kiosk. Such algorithms will minimize the number of credits issued to advertisers requesting service on a given multimode CPI kiosk of the... ... entitled PROM CREDIT--PHYSICALKIOSK in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention compfises a number of primary information fields, namely: Advertiser ID No.; Physical Kiosk ID No.; Physical kiosk Promotion spot ID No.; UPN of Advertised Product; URL of Interrupted Promotion; Date of Interruption; Time of Interruption.....entitled PROMO CREDIT--VIRTUALKIOSK in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: Advertiser Identification No.: Virtual Kiosk ID No.; Physical Kiosk Promotion Spot ID No.; UPN of Advertised Product; URL of Interrupted Promotion; Date of Interruption; Time of Interruption... ... entitled PURCHASE AT PHYSICALSTORE in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: Retailer

ID No.; Retail P-Store ID No.; UPN of Product Sold; Date of Product Sale; Time of Product Sale; Price of Sold Product; Customer ID No.; Credit Card No.; Retailer s Discount; URL of Promotion Advertisement; and Date of Last...entitled PURCHASE AT E-STORE in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: Retailer ID No.; Retail E-Store ID No.; UPN of Product Sold; Date of Product Sale, Time of Product Sale, Price of Sold Product; Customer ID No.; Credit Card No.; Retailer s Promotion Discount; Manufacturer s Promotion discount; URL of Promotion... ...entitled RETAILER/ E-STORERELATON in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: Retail E-Store ID No.; Manufacturer #1 ID No. (e.g. MIN); Manufacturer #2 ID No.; Manufacturer #N ID No.; Total # Manufacturer Relationships; and Date of Last Record Update. This data table maintains important.....table entitled AISLE/SHELF RIGHTS in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: P-Kiosk Aisle/Shelf Location: MIN of Manufacturer #1; MIN... ... E-STORE WEB-PAGE RIGHTS in the illustrative embodiment of the present invention comprises a number of primary information fields, namely: E-Store Web-Page Location; MIN of Manufacturer #1: MIN... ... UPN/TM/PD1URL LCMT server 505 associated with the CPI LCMT subsystem 501 supports a number of modes of information service for manufacturers (i.e. vendors) and their agents, namely:Registering.....database updating operations; and Approved By Whom data field 551 for displaying the name and identification code of the authorized user who last modified or bmnsported the particular UPN/TM/PDIURL... understood, however, Page 259Page 260. As shown in Fig. 18A, GUI 552A comprises a number of display structures namely: a scalable window-style framework 553 having a toolbar menu 554... ...the CPI kioskordering/configuration/deployment/management server 506 of the illustrative embodimentsupports a number of information services for retailers, namely: Registering Retailer and Creating a Retailer Account; Logging-into... kioskordering/configuration/deployment/management server 506 of the illustrative subsystem embodiment 505 supports a number of information services for manufacturers, namely: Registering Manufacturer and Creating a Manufacturer Account; Logging-into.....above. The encapsulated CPIR-enabling Applet tag is then downloaded using any one of a number of techniques described above. Thereafter, the Applet tag is embedded within the HTML-code of.....Kiosk Configuration, Deployment, Management and Access Subsystem 504 of the illustrative embodiment also supports a number of information services for consumers, namely. Accessing links to consumer product information (CPI)Using UPNs...uses the data tables in the UPN/TM/PD/URL RDBMS and the advertiser's

identification number to which consumer products carry such trademarks (i.e. brand names) and also the UPNs... ...to enable the construction of a registered kiosk advertising campaign, which will be assigned a unique Kiosk Advertising Campaign Number. Notably, each multi-media advertisement spot ordered to run in a particular advertisement campaign can... ... several factors, such as for example: (1) the amount of "consumer-activity" (i.e. the number of consumer product information requests made/placed) at the particular kiosk over, for example, the...higher advertising fees associated with advertising slots maintained in its advertising queue; and (2) the number of product advertising campaigns created and scheduled to run (on a given day) within a... ... driven CPI kiosk will be given the option to reserve (i.e. purchase) a particular number of product advertising/promotion slots on each CPI kiosk 513 deployed within its retail stores.....Product Promotion Marketing, Programming, Management And Delivery Subsystem 503 of the illustrative embodimentsupports a number of information services for promoters, namely: Registering Promoter and Creating a Promotion Account; Logging-into... ... through 38B, a request for a general kiosk promotion directory will include the promoter's identification number. The displayed directory includes only (physical and virtual) kiosks on which the registered promoter is.....kiosk 513 will be based on several factors, as well, such as for example: the number of product promotion campaigns created and scheduled to run (on a given day) within a...understood that at present, few (if any) services have been assigned a UPC (or EAN) number in the manner that nearly all consumer products have been assigned in the contemporary period... ...and labeling printed and graphical brochures and advertisements with such universal numbers, will provide a number of new opportunities hitherto unavailable. In particular, service-related information could be easily found (i... being identified. An example of such USC labeling would be printing an assigned UPC label (number) on: admission tickets to a theatrical, dramatic or musical performance and/or its playbill; admission...each said manufactureroperated/managed client computer subsystem, a graphical user interface (GUI) which comprises a number of display structures selected from the group consisting of. a windowstyle framework having a toolbar... ...accessed from the UPN/TM/PD/URL RDBMS, and wherein said kiosk GUI comprises a number of display structures selected from the group consisting of- a scalable window-style framework having...Management Web server; (2) receiving and parsing this directory request to determine the advertiser's identification number; (3) using the data tables of said central UPN/TMIPD[URL RDBMS and the advertiser's identification number to determine the list of manufacturers (by their MINs) who have retained the identified advertiser... ...products to be covered in the kiosk advertising directory, and the (ii) the advertiser's identification number; (2) receiving and parsing this directory request to determine the trademark(s) of products to be covered in the kiosk advertising directory, and also the advertiser's identification number; (3) using the data tables in said central UPN/TM/PD[URL RDBMS and the advertiser's identification number to which consumerPage 313. The Internet-based consumer product marketing, merchandising andeducation/information...

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SYSTEMES COMMERCIAUX AMELIORES

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French Abstract:

...prix, le procede comprenant les etapes suivantes: enregistrement du premier prix et des informations d'identification du consommateur (114); surveillance des prix de vente de l'objet pendant une periode predeterminee... ...ordinateur central (252), l'ordinateur central (252) enregistrant le premier prix et les informations d'identification du consommateur (114) et l'ordinateur central (252) prenant en charge la surveillance.

Detailed Description:

... object of at least certain preferred

embodiments of the present invention to provide.

New, useful, **unique**, efficient, nonobvious systems and methods for providing direct electronic consumer/vendor contact for business transactions via a system such as the Internet global communications system;

New, useful, **unique**, efficient, nonobvious systems and methods for providing to a consumer guaranteed best pricing for a... pertinent geographic area for the consumer (e.g. but not limited to, based on phone **number**, zip code, and/or information inputted by a consumer); means for displaying for the consumer... ... area based on information about a consumer, e.g.

but not limited to a phone **number** used by the consumer to contact the host system; wherein the information about the consumer includes a phone **number** used by the consumer to contact the host system and/or a zip code of...including any method in any of these listed patents plus one or some (in any **number** and in any possible combination) of the elements of the present invention, including, but not... ... area for providing a warranty to the consumer.

- for alerting the consumer to possible warranties, warranty extensions, and/or warranty renewals, and/or
- for the consumer to apply for such a warranty, warranty extension, and/or warranty renewal Improved Versions of U.S. 6FO14,634
 The present invention, in certain aspects provides...method 17

of the patent guaranteeing a best price according to the present invention; a computer implemented method for determining purchasing incentives for consumers, including the steps of: storing in a purchase history database product data for products purchased in association with a unique identifier, transmitting a prompt for personal information from a main computer to a personal computer over a computer network, transmitting personal information data from said personal computer to said main computer over said computer network in response to said prompt, said personal information data including an identity code, generating page data defining a personal web page that is accessible over said computer network, said personal web page based at least in part on said personal information data transmitted from said personal computer to said main computer, assigning a web page address to said personal web page based upon said personal information... ... U.S. Patent 6,014,634) for providing purchasing incentives to consumers, including a main computer having a purchase history database for storing product data for products purchased in association with a unique identifier and a personal page database, a computer network, at least one personal computer coupled to said main computer via said computer network, said main computer configured to transmit a prompt for personal information to said at least one personal computer over said computer network, said at least one personal computer configured to transmit personal information data from to said main computer over said computer network in response to said prompt, said main computer configured to generate page data defining a personal web page that is accessible over said computer network, said personal web page based at least in part on said personal information data transmitted from said at least one personal computer to said main computer, said main computer configured to assign a web page address to said personal web page based upon said personal information data, said main computer configured to store said page data defining said personal web page in said personal page database, said main computer configured to determine a purchase incentive depending on (I) said product data stored in said purchase history database or (2) said page data stored in said personal page database, said main computer configured to update said page data so that said personal web page will display said 19

purchase incentive, and the main computer configured to carry out the steps of the guaranteeing of the best price for the purchased products; a **computer** program product including a computer storage medium having a computer program therein for providing purchasing incentives to consumers, said computer program performing the steps of storing in a purchase history database product data for products purchased in association with a unique identifier, transmitting a prompt for personal information from a main computer to a personal computer over a computer network. transmitting personal information data from said personal computer to said main computer over said computer network in response to said prompt, generating page data defining a personal web page that is accessible over said computer network, said personal web page based at least in part on said personal information data transmitted from said personal computer to said main computer, assigning a web page address to said personal web page based upon said personal information... incentive, and the steps of guaranteeing of the best price for the purchased products;

a computer implemented method for generating a web page said method including the steps of transmitting a prompt for personal information from a main computer to a personal computer over a computer network, transmitting personal information data from said personal computer to said main computer over said computer network in response to said prompt, generating page data defining a web page based upon... ...incentive, and the steps of guaranteeing the best price for the purchased products; and a computer implemented method for generating a web page. said method including the steps of transmitting a prompt for personal information from a main computer to a personal computer over a computer network, transmitting personal information data from said personal computer to said main computer over said computer network in response to said prompt, generating page data defining a web page based upon... ... card account issued by the card issuer, the method including assigning each participant a membership number wherein the membership number is associated with the particular participant's transaction card account, providing a computerized discount.....their associated transaction card accounts and transaction card issuers, presenting, by the participant, the membership number to an authorized merchant for a transaction, issuing a first discount authorization request from said....wherein the first discount authorization request includes transaction data comprising the particular participant's membership **number** and an amount for the transaction. correlating the membership number to its associated transaction card account and transaction card issuer. issuing a second discount authorization...of receiving and storing in a first database data for the first price with a unique identifier identifying the consumer, receiving and storing 30 in a second database at least one...implementation of an abstract, object-oriented Cashier Component to process payment requests by employing a number of replaceable software components or tools in a framework; b) generating an implementation of an...toward the bill with the consumer account. The remittance information 26 usually includes an account number, an account balance, an amount due, the date due, and any additional data that the... payment information on the remittance stub 26, such as amount paid, payment date, and account number (if not already on the

stub). The consumer 28 encloses the stub 26 and check... the

consumer bank account 52 to the BPSP bank 48.

At this point, a number of different options can be taken to transfer payment from the BPSP bank 48 to....bill 104 by U.S. mail or email (step 1). The bill 104 includes a unique biller reference number (BRN). To pay the bill 104, the consumer 94 transmits to consumer bank 98 a....source of funds, a date on which to make the payment, the consumer's account number with biller, and the biller's BRN (step 2).

The consumer bank 98 submits an.....bank 96 via the payment network 102 (step 3). The payment message includes a bank identification number for consumer bank 98, a bank identification number 38

for biller bank 96, the biller's BRN, the consumer's

for biller bank 96, the biller's BRN, the consumer's account **number** with biller, an amount to be paid, and an implicit guarantee of consumer bank 98... software. Another advantage is that the bill can be artistically designed to present an appearance **unique** to the biller. The bill 128 might be implemented simply as a static data structure... ...unit 112 might optionally digitally sign the bill and payment remittance information before transmission. A **digital signature** is often used to verify the source of information on a network such as thebill presentment and payment system in accordance with the invention, which is referenced generally by **number** 250.

System 250 differs from the system 110 described with respect to Fig. 4 in...114 can periodically access the intermediary 252 for bills in his/her name or account **number**. The electronic transmission is carried out over the network 116.

The consumer reviews the bill... ...presentment and payment system in accordance with the 44 invention, which is referenced generally by **number** 260.

System 260 is essentially the same as system 250 described above with respect to... ... charge or fee each time a transaction is entered into or until a pre-set **number** of transactions are completed; and/or there may be a charge or fee based on... implementation of an abstract, object

oriented Cashier component to process payment requests by employing a **number** of replaceable software components or tools, means for generating an implementation of an abstract, object.....implementation of an abstract, object-oriented Cashier Component to process payment requests by employing

a **number** of replaceable software components or tools in a framework, computer programming code generating an implementation...

Claims:

...receiving and storing in a first database

data f or the first price with a **unique** identifieridentifying the consumer, receiving and storing in a second databaseat least one second...implementation of anabstract, object-oriented Cashier component to processpayment requests by employing a **number** of replaceablesoftware components or tools, means for generating an implementation of anabstract, object... ...implementation of an abstract, object-oriented CashierComponent to process payment requests by employing anumber of replaceable software components or tools ina framework, computer programming code generating an1...

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A POINT-OF-SALE/SERVICE (POS) PORTAL

PORTAIL DE SERVICE/POINT DE VENTE (POS)

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Detailed Description:

...problem becomes one of achieving a scale that provides a potential advertiser with an adequate **number** of consumer viewers such that the advertiser would pay for access to them.

Turning to a different art, it is believed that worldwide point-ofsale (POS) locations **number** about seventeen million, eight million of which are in the United States. Retail POS sites... ...readers for debit, credit and EFT cards but also keypads for entry of

validating personal identification numbers (PINs).

On a somewhat orthogonal track, the cash registers evolved from paper-receipt generators...promotions, next-visit coupons, for example.

To rapidly delay these terminals and create a large **number** of 1 0 captive consumer minutes associated with a portal, these terminal may be heavily...

Claims:

...receipts. POS, point of sale. SIV, secure internet vault.

10TC, transaction computer. TUID, transaction-unique identifiers.DEFINITIONSAdministrator: A manager of group users and users in sites. Administrator manager: A.....A dictionary of rows. Transaction keys: The keys in a transaction that make the record uniquefrom all others. In one embodiment of the data form the transaction keys are the ... payment, he swipes the card through the POS system 126 and enters his validating PIN number. After the form of payment has been accepted, the POS system1 5may ask.....data form 140 for storage and for viewing using theclient's personal computer 190. **Identification** of the customer may occur early in thetransaction. This early identification may help target the contents fordisplay to the identified customer. 25 DEVICESWeb-Enabled ...bills. photographs, consumer data and billing information. The transaction records include receipts useable for tax, warranty or expense-report purposes. The legal documents include documents such as wills, insurance polices and......document, and a document (with or without an accompanying electronic signature) may have an authenticating digital signature. XMIL is an 1 5 example electronic-text format. In securely maintaining all of these...port higher priority than the high-speedport is counter to the general tenets of **computer** science: Usually, the5 better use of the CPU 51 I's cycles is to...for example, the electronic-receipts service may mask aportion(s) of a credit-card number or apply a grid over a signature. TheI 0 service may restrict access to ... add an administrator, the administratormanager takes on the role of such an administrator.)27-- Configuring a SiteThe electronic-receipts service provides a new site with its site identification ("site ID"). The new site stores its site ID into a location that the machine may use when talking to the electronic-receipts service. The site may get the site ID manually (that is to say that the administrator himself seeks the site ID from the electronic-receipts service), or the site may get the site ID automatically. In the latter case, the site accesses an electronic receipts-service service. The machine contacts... ...such transaction-table name-value pairsmay include the following: SiteGpID (f he site group ID), SitelD (the site ID), 1.5 TUIDI and TUID2 (transaction unique identifiers), TranType (the transactiontype), DeptlD (the ID of the department where the transaction occurred), AcctType (the account type), AcctNum (the account number), ExprDate(the expiration date of the card), AuthCocle (f he authorization code), AuthSrc (the ID of the authorizer), MerchlD (the merchant ID), DateStmp(stamped date and time), and Customer-Signature. The set of names also includes site at its option. The transaction type may be a sales, return or void. The department ID may be unspecified or one of a dictionary of departmentIDs. The account type may include credit card, cash, debit card, check, smart card or unspecified. The account **number** is the **number** of thecustomer's payment card, checking account, proprietary card, etc. The IDof the Authorizer is, for example, NPC, FirstData or unspecified 29The service maintains a.....line-item-table name-value pairs may include the following: TUIDI, TUID2, LineNum (the line number for each item in a transaction), Descr (the description of the item), SKU (stock keeping...to extract information such as customer-survey responses. At the other end, namely, at the computer 190, the electronicreceipts or secure internet-vault services may display content (including graphics and targeted......the display. This second area is typically the I 0 display 220 of the transaction computer. The data farm 140 may divide

this second area so that multiplecontents are visible...Where the payment is a credit card, the customer swipes the card through the transaction computer and signs electronically, allowing the TC tocapture his signature. The POS system 126 forwards.....the card through the TC of the POS system 126 andenters his validating PIN number.36After the form of payment has been accepted, the POS systemasks the customer...all of his transactions. These transactions mayinclude transactions from a merchant A and any number of merchant A'scompetitors. Likewise, advertising directed to the consumer may include 0...your receipts (only the first 300 will be displayed). Passwot-dj [Contact Us] Merchant Card Number Card Type On/After Month: Day: Year. Date Range L. I IOn/Before Month... ... My Main Page I Logout[My Recciptsi Results[Offers/EventlfProfile] View Details Date Card Number l'otal tore Number Description CardjPersonnel /oursg= I exaco V@isaReminders AU3 I exacolChange T7997...Logout[My Receipts] Receipt10ifers/Eventl Date 1999/06/24 Amount \$137.44iProfflel Card Number *7003 ¡Personnel Card Title VisaReminders] Filene's Basement[Change Winn & 2008 Cambridge St. Password] Burlington.....Mymai Page LogoutI.Nly Receipts] Receipt[Offers/Event] Date 1999/06/24;Profilei Card Number Amount \$137.44[Personnel Card Tiffle VisaReminders] Filene's Basement[Channe Winn & Damp; Cambridge St...encrypted fortransmission to our secure data centerAccount Name On Card Account Type MerchantNumber 4375200009@79@ Ch@i@Srnitl Imaster CardI @JlnoneF37221425522700-IChris Smith JAMEX none134576892000.....Merchant applies to only frequent shopper cards. Cash receipt identifier code: 10123456789Please enter a unique numedo identifier up to 1 1 digits. For example, this may be your phone number, driver's license, or a combination of phone number and plus last four digits of your social security number. You will be prompted for this identifier at the point of sale if you want... ... Main Page I LogoutINly Receipts] Receipt10fters/Event] Date 1999/05/201profilef Card Number* 0476 Amount \$32.06113ersonnel Card Title DiscoverRennindersl KROGERIChangePasswoi-dj[Contact 11s... ...00GA 7%- TAX A .30GA 3% TAX C .22TOTAL TAX .52TOTAL NUMBER OF ITEMS SOLD = 75/20/99 10:02 0324 10 0121 121Total \$32...at an aggregate level, ReceiptCity users'product interests and reminders with merchants to count the number of users interested in certain products or shopping events. Your Internet Server Provider (ISP) address... ... are stored with any personal data that you have already provided. The provision of your unique identifying information (user name and password) assures that you will be the only person able...which records and reports aggregated information to advertisers. Examples of "aggregated" information would be the number of people who see an ad and the number of times people see the ad. The use of cookies also allows the ad-serving...ReceiptCity for me?Ans-We are currently populating the ReceiptCity site with transactions from a number of retailers in the San Francisco bay area. We are scheduling thearrival of receipts... ... ReceiptCity for me? Ans-We are currently populating the ReceiptCity site with transactions from anumber of retailers in the San Francisco bay area. We are scheduling thearrival of receipts...Page I Logout 1.%. Iy Receipts] Receipt 10ffers/Event] Date 1999/06/04[Prorliel Card Number ********7003 Amount \$49.97[Personnel Card Title Visal1cmindersi Filene's BasementlChange Winn & Cambridge.....Logaut[My ReceiptsllOffers/Eventl Receipt[Profilej Date 1999/05122 Amount \$6.08IPersonnel Card Number -********7003Reminders] Card Title Visa[ChangePassword] Total \$6.08[Contact Us]Copyright Q 1999...

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DISPLAYING COLOR ADVERTISEMENTS ON POINT-OF-SALES/SERVICE (POS) PLATFORMS AFFICHAGE DE PUBLICITES EN COULEURS SUR DES PLATEFORMES DE POINTS DE VENTES OU DE SERVICES (POS)

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METHODS, CONCEPTS AND TECHNOLOGY FOR DYNAMIC COMPARISON OF PRODUCT FEATURES AND CUSTOMER PROFILE

PROCEDES, CONCEPTS ET TECHNIQUE DE COMPARAISON DYNAMIQUE DE CARACTERISTIQUES D'UN PRODUIT ET DU PROFIL DES CONSOMMATEURS

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...required for implementation of technology in accordance with one embodiment of the present invention; Figure ID is a flowchart illustrating the method of prioritizing components of a system that are required...described above in operation 32. Then, referring to Figure 1M, each vendor is assigned a unique indicia coding. Each of the components provided by a vendor service is indicia coded to... components are in place may be distinguished from the primary components by having indicia coding unique with respect to the indicia coding of the first components, and likewise for tertiary components.....a second phase are selected and presented by indicia coding the same in a manner unique with respect to the indicia coding of the first set of components. Such second set.....analysis is accomplished in operation 45a of Figure IF-1 by assigning each vendor a unique indicia coding. In operation 45b, a database is created that includes all of the products...may be implemented.

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As stated above, various vendors may be represented by a **unique** corresponding indicia coding, i.e. color, for differentiation purposes. As such, one may assess vendors... ...indicia coded on the pictorial representation, in operation 52 of Figure 1H, but with a **unique** indicia coding.

In operation 51d, components of the existing system that are used for supporting.....of the database. These components are indicia coded on the pictorial representation, also with a **unique** indicia coding, in operation 53 of Figure 1H.

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Further, the present invention may...represented in this example as Business I, Business 2, and Business 3. Each business entity has a **unique** indicia coding, as shown in the legend.

Indicia coding is provided in each component box... ...provides more detail as to the services provided by each entity.) Each service has a **unique** indicia coding, as shown in the legend. Indicia coding is provided in each component box...auditable transaction log. Privacy of all data is protected through the use of encryption and **digital signatures**.

Merchants offer goods and services for sale on the Internet using applets which adhere to... allows the use of electronic checks for 1.8 transactions. Business I echeck server verifies digital signatures, processes checks according to the business rules of the bank (e.g. a check over a software product 2 that enables efficient network resource management. By nt

preventing a small number of applications or users from

Tools consuming all available bandwidth, it ensures the quality of ... Art Technology Group's

Dynamo server

Business3server is used extensively on BusinessYs sites and a

number of other Internet sites including the following: pnimehost.com,

BusinessIcom, digitalcity.com, tile.net, am....a preferred embodiment having a central processing unit 70, such as a microprocessor, and a **number** of other units interconnected via a system bus 71. The workstation shown in Figure 2A...It interfaces with the Architecture team to provide answers to questions from developers. To

id adding overhead to the issue resolution process, the support group must be staffed avol I...Repository Management, Folder Management and, where applicable, Object Management and Media Content Management.

Since a **number** of teams rely on the service provided by the information management team, it is important...in its own folder.

Choosing the strategy depends on how components are named, on the **number** of components, and on the tools used. If naming standards make it easy to identify... ...backing up redundant or misplaced files and then removing them.

Media Content Management (106)

The unique nature of media content means that it cannot be treated in the same way as...It is based on the concept of stage containment (enforcing for a given deliverable the identification of the problems before it goes to the next stage) and entry and exit criteria.....per function

1 5 0 User satisfaction per function

Code complexity

Code structure

Productivity

Average **number** of defects per design packet at the moment construction starts

Average **number** of defects per program at the time of its first migration to system test

Once...the new business capability.

Program Management consists of three major activities, each split into a number of task packages.

a) Plan Program

0 0610 - Understand Program Expectations

0 0620 - Plan Management.....all other teams within the development environment.

Project Management comprises a single activity containing a number of task packages.

a) Plan and Manage Project

0 0920 - Plan Project Execution

0 0940.....sample packaging strategy would take into consideration some of the following factors in determining a unique method to handle a given configuration packet in terms of version, change, and migration control...illustrations, the more flexible a release plan, the more complex the development environment. As the number of development pipelines increase, the complexity of working in the development environment also increases. All.....simpler than the production environment. It is, for example, generally smaller in terms of the number of hardware components and the number of locations. In other respects, however, the development environment is more complex. For example, the...0 Failure control

Security management

Staffing considerations

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Production Control

In the development environment, a **number** of activities must be performed according to schedule, including.

Reorganization of databases, including the repository...significant portion of the application architecture (data access

components and firewalls). The process involves a number of stages.

Package or Component Selection Component Customization Component Interfacing 85

Standards and Procedures

A... ... gathering and transformation of information is complete and correct.

As automation progresses and an increasing **number** of business processes are supported by computer systems, system test is changing in nature. Firstly...business case is achieved is still needed. The size of the team depends upon the **number** of users and the degree to which tools can collect and report the data. ne...offers the advantage of being able to coordinate events that require the participation of a **number** of people automatically by checking 'group availability' rather than checking with each person individually. These... ...infrastructure and this must be anticipated. This type of implementation is also based on a **number** of different, emerging standards. The video conferencing system should be designed with that fact in... unsecured channel such as the Internet.

0 Public key infrastructure - provides public-key encryption and **digital** signature services. The purpose of a public-key infrastructure is to manage keys and certificates. A PKI enables the use of encryption, **digital signatures**, and authentication services across a wide variety of applications.

0 Authentication system - provides a business... ...being audited by the tool. The audit logs should be able to optionally record User **ID**, time-of-day, location of access, successful and unsuccessful access or change attempts, etc.

101...in the repository in a controlled manner. Most engagements consider using a repository once the **number** of developers exceeds ten.

d) Is the development team geographically dispersed?

An Information Management repository....a means of communication that is formal and enforces the agreed interfaces.

e) Do a number of tools need to be integrated?

A repository management tool may be required to provide...tools with the repository considerably easier and less time consuming.

Flexibility is important if a number ofpoint tools are to be used in the

development process as opposed to using an...repository must be performed by the Technology Infrastructure team. This was

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achieved on a **number** of projects that chose a "best-of-breed point tool" approach where they integrated these... ... asset management systems, capable of indexing and manipulating numerous multimedia data types. There are a **number** of key requirements for Media Content Management - in particular, a Media Content Management system should... focus and continuous improvement. Quality Management tools support the definition and implementation of quality.

A number of integrated Quality Management tools are available that may combine the functionality of all the...

...the measurement or outcomes of that process are unsatisfactory. Process improvement is required whenever the **number** of defects exceeds the desired level, productivity falls below a desired threshold, or client expectations... ...whether to use CBT, online, paper-based or instructor-led training is affected by the **number** of people that have to be trained, the complexity of the subject, and the availability...change control, and migration control.

As the size of the application increases so does the **number** of objects, files, or components. The management of these items becomes increasingly difficult to manage... ...d) Is the development effort to be sustained over a prolonged period?

Over time, a large **number** of configurations will evolve and Configuration Management tools can be used to control the evolution and to document these configurations.

e) Is there a large number of components?

It may be necessary to keep track of and control configurations consisting of... ...materials, documentation, hardware components, system software and even building characteristics. The existence of a large **number** of such components makes the task of managing their configurations complex, and a dedicated Configuration... ... the Configuration Management component may consist merely of a whiteboard or Excel spreadsheet. As the **number** of modules grows to about 1000, a dedicated tool is required.

h) Do the generations...to develop one full sequence at a time and increases the ability of a large

number of people to work productively together, thus compressing the time required to develop a system....can be an increased cost in disk space in the development environment (because of the number of versions of each module that must be kept) and can lead to some human...prevent concurrent or unauthorized updates to them or their dependents becomes very intricate as the number of components reaches 1000. Migration control tools can be used to improve productivity by facilitating.....The complexity of the Netcentric world with so many integrated vendor solutions dramatically increases the number and variations of object types.

b) Does the toolfacilitate the migration of many components together... ...individually?

Migration from a development environment to a system test environment either involves a large **number** of components (migration of all the components belonging to a test cycle) or single components... ...tool should be easy to learn and use. Using a pull strategy may decrease the **number** of people required to know how to use the tool.

Release Management

Release Management tools...DLT, various tools etc.).

Yhe time required for backups must also be considered. Usually the **number** of hours without development per day decreases over time and if backups can only be... ...being audited by the tool. The audit logs should be able to optionally record User **ID**, time-of-day, location of access, successful and unsuccessful access or change attempts, etc.

c...helps build quality into the system. The goal of stage containment is to minimize the **number** of errors being passed to the next stage. For the purpose of stage containment, problems...in a consistent definition and usage of data. For example, all applications that require customer **number** will use the standard name and attribute length defined in the data model. Database administrators... ...in the data model (and ultimately in the database). However, there is usually a significant **number** of other data definitions which will never appear in the database, and whose definition is...models to be broken down into smaller more

manageable and understandable models while still maintaining unique object definition.

This is particularly important for large teams where data modeling is divided among...must have at least one input flow associated with it. The tool should facilitate the **identification** of exceptions to these general rules.

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i) Is a detailed process model with complex processes to...diagrams may be required to complete the model.

d) Is the system complex?

As the **number** of events increases, the complexity of the event model increases and the diagramers may need...terms of tools, a class or library browser is required, which allows easy navigation and **identification** of candidate components and classes.

In many cases, there can be a mismatch between design...is to be used by dedicated people where the measure of productivity is solely the **number** of transactions they can get through per second, then user interface prototyping tools are important...of functions across client and server.

Application Logic Design functionality is also provided by a **number** of Integrated Development Environments (IDEs).

With component-based development, Application Logic Design is performed through...the case where multiple teams are designs.

d) Does the database include a very large number of tables and elements?

Navigation through a large **number** of tables is complicated and can be simplified significantly if dedicated database design tools are...Is multi-language support a consideration?

Special characters, differences in field lengths, and differences in **number** formats are some of the things that contribute to the complexity of a multi-language...a smoother conversion, with less disruption to business Each system is designed to meet the **unique** requirements of its users, and therefore benefits from a different mix of testing techniques. In... ...on computer networks to conduct system evaluations. Remote testing enables developers to test a large **number** of users efficiently and without incurring travel expenses.

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Reverse Engineerin (130)

Reverse engineering tools...the source code generating the error can be viewed simultaneously.

Symbolic source code enables easier identification of where errors occur.

Preferably, the debugger should ...to isolate developersfrom the technical environment as much as possible?

b) Are there a large **number** of developers which makes it difficult to enforce standards and consistency among developers?

Generators are....shielding the developers from many complexities of the technical environment.

- c) Are there a large number of developers or a large amount of code?
- d) Can significant time be saved by... 136)

Testing applications (client/server or Netcentric) remains a complex task because of the large number of integrated

components involved (for example, multiplatform clients, multiplatform servers, multitiered applications, communications, distributed processing, and 1 5 data), which, in turn, results in a large **number** and variety of Testing tools.

For any large scale testing effort, it is vital to... ...the impacts of change and to document the state of system test. For example, the **number** of outstanding SIRs per cycle can easily be provided based on these relationships.

In some... ... may have an impact on the way in which testing should be performed.

5 A number of firm initiatives have conducted considerable research into the field of testing.

Year 2000 Testing...The type of system development approach to be considered is.

Maturity of the testing process

Number of technical platforms

b) What testing toolfactors should be considered when automating Test Execution? RTP... ...Automation Strategy - Version 1. 1. Application factors to be aval

considered include.

Application life expectancy

Number of planned releases

0 Use of application software packages

Frequency ... Starting point of automation in the development life cycle

0 Scope of the test automation

Number of passes per test cycle

e) nat testing team factors should be considered when automating... ...testing team

Performance Management

Performance Management tools support application performance testing. Owing to the large **number** of components in modem systems, performance modeling can be a complex task and requires tools...less powerful tools due to their placement.

Will the solution be manual or automated?

A number of functions could be managed manually, especially if the functions are not directly related to... ...run independently from the systems tools and may only need to run on a limited number of systems.

Integration with other Functions

Integration between some of the functions is highly desirable. Integrated toolsets offer integrated functionality across a **number** of functions, thus simplifying the interfaces between them (e.g., data will automatically be consistent... ... for machines, databases, telecommunications lines, etc. Alternatively, experience from previous engagements can provide useful input.

Number of Usersfor the Tool

Users may not be limited to the number of support personnel accessing a tool alone.

Keep in mind that users of the tools... ... be support personnel, vendors, users, senior managers, etc.

Some tools will only support a limited **number** of users, or may only support users within certain geographic boundaries. It is important to understand if there are any such limitations prior to purchasing a tool.

In addition, the **number** of users will affect the budgetary requirements for the purchase of a tool, particularly as... ... various forms of output. By integrating the operational architecture it is possible to reduce the **number** of front-end interfaces required. Commonly, the presentation component uses a GUI front-end interface... Request and Problem Management.

Logging Incidents I Requests

Call logger should be presented with a **unique** incident / request identifier, and should be able to enter a free format description as well...

Claims:

... features are presented in a prioritized manner in the form of a table.

9 A computer program embodied on a computer readable medium for

facilitating a virtual comparison shopping transaction comprising:(a) a code segment that...TO INDICATE THAT THE SECOND COMPONENTMUST BE IMPLEMENTED AFTER THE FIRST COMPONENT16 Figure IDCOMPILING A LISTING OF ALL OF THE COMPONENTS REQUIRED FOR 36aIMPLEMENTATION OF THE TECHNOLOGY... ... BE 42DELIVERED IN A SECOND PHASE BY INDICIA CODING THE SAME IN AMANNER UNIQUE WITH RESPECT TO THE INDICIA CODING OF THEFIRST SET OF COMPONENTS Figure I E.....THATHIGHLIGHTS ASPECTS OF THE AT LEAST TWO VENDORS Figure IFASSIGNING EACH VENDOR A UNIQUE INDICIA CODING 45a45bCREATING A DATABASE THAT INCLUDES ALL OF THE SERVICES OF AT...UWW9UP@0F@" publishina) sum"Buyer Aseloard--- F Conforat RevireeF Tasting TodsF Rattim & Damp; WarrantyCtairneOrder Localization/Adrindinlregrothe Transadori CripabliaNottnmtlDnAt FAISCOIlmoomProtection CmPWAISM Raferrai FTerd" RandoinglEE....inside a firewall from todernal clients 0Supports Server Information with URL Session Identifiers0 Provides configuration contral over indernal access permissions0Provides adapter or mechanism to communicate and transferdata at...FEATURE KEYWORDS HAVING MULTIPLE 1623MATCHES HIGHEST PRIORITY AND RANKING THE FEATURESACCORDING TO THE NUMBER OF MATCHESANALYZING THE USER'S WORDS USING A THESAURUS TO FIND 1624KEYWORD MATCHES...21 110SETTING FORTH THE TERMS OF THE LICENSE AGREEMENT 21102111SETTING FORTH LICENSOR IDENTIFICATION INFORMATIONSETTING FORTH LICENSEE (USER) IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION 21122113VERIFYING IDENTIFICATIONFigure 21A2108DOWNLOADING DATA2TRANSMITTING DATA BASED ON USER SPECIFICATIONS2204PROVIDING A...

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MOVING PICTURE CAMERA WITH UNIVERSAL SERIAL BUS INTERFACE

CAMERA A IMAGES ANIMEES DOTEE D'UNE INTERFACE DE BUS SERIE UNIVERSELLE

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...the processor 28, the bit rate of the video signal may be adjusted in a **number** of ways. For instance, the resolution or frame rate may be decreased.

Alternatively, the video may be encoded according to one of a **number** of encoding standards including ITU's (International Telecommunications Union) H.261, H.262, or

z...expansion card 19. Thus, a novice user may find it difficult to install and to **configure** the camera 12. Moreover, for many systems 20, the **warranty** on the **computer** is voided if the **computer** housing 21 is opened by the user.

The camera 12 is well suited for non...signal representative thereof. The video signal is converted to digital form in ADC 113. The **digital signal** outputted from ADC 1 5 1 1 3 is received at a bit rate reduction...I Dav oqi) g I I 1!nojio uotionpai alui j!q otp jsnfpu/ureiSo-id oi posn 3q two si;Djsuujl -elup qonS -juu2islQJSlM.1j 14UP Qlqj PUU JEUSTS Oap...can be connected to the USB 200, The audio signal can be restored by a **number** of devices, such as the processor 128. The restored audio signal is then outputted via...

Claims:

...and connected to said bus, said first interface circuit comprising a serial port for receiving **digital signals**, that are transmitted according to a predefined communications protocol, originating outside I 0 said first

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Notebook Security: IBM Unveils Industry's First Notebook PCs With Radio Frequency-based Security.(ThinkPad 770Z and 600E notebook PCs)(Product Announcement)

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...in secure computing solutions by introducing the industry's first notebook PCs available with Asset ID, IBM's radio frequency-based security and asset tracking technology. The new ThinkPad 770Z and 600E notebook PCs available with Asset ID provide companies with unparalleled security protection, while also allowing them to rapidly deploy systems to employees and conveniently track their notebook PC inventory. IBM's Asset ID solution combines a radio frequency (RF) ID tag and a handheld RF scanner to read and store vital information about every Asset ID-enabled ThinkPad 770Z and 600E in a company's inventory -- even if the notebooks are unplugged or still in their cartons. This helps protect valuable mobile computer assets from theft or unauthorized removal from a company premises. If the system is removed without authorization through a door or passageway protected by an RF sensor, IBM Asset ID will automatically cause the ThinkPad to become password-protected. This prevents the viewing or theft...

...chief technology officer, IBM Personal Systems Group. Announced last year for IBM desktop PCs, Asset ID helps security personnel keep close track of computers to combat theft, while reducing security paperwork and time-consuming bag searches at security checkpoints. For systems administrators, Asset ID eliminates many costly, time-consuming manual steps involved in today's system deployment, inventory and tracking processes. Asset ID stores valuable information about each system, including software configuration and the serial numbers of key components. Asset ID also holds a number of blank fields, so administrators can customize information to fit a company's specific needs

...protection, data encryption and decryption technology for e-business transactions and confidential e-mail and **Digital Signature** to authenticate parties participating in e-business initiatives through the Internet. The Smart Card Security Kit is priced at \$199. "With average annual losses from **computer** hardware theft rising to nearly \$8

billion last year, companies of all sizes are increasingly...

- ...s new radio frequency and smart card security solutions will help companies arm themselves against **computer** and data theft, protecting their investments." In addition to the added security features, the new...
- ... The ThinkPad 770Z models are designed for users that require the ultimate workstation-level notebook **computer**. Expanding its reputation as the benchmark for high-end notebook computers, the 770Zs provide power users with stellar performance, multimedia, connectivity and **configuration** flexibility. The new systems feature large 14.1-inch XGA or 13.7-inch SXGA...
- ...for engineering, financial and other graphics-intensive applications. The new ThinkPad 770 models can be **configured** with a maximum of 320MB of memory, and include a DVD drive, 8MB of video IBM resellers. Asset **ID**-enabled models are available through resellers that participate in IBM's Authorized Assembler Program (AAP), in which ThinkPads are offered in a variety of custom **configurations** to meet customer needs. The modular design of the new ThinkPads facilitates channel assembly and...
- ...IBM to offer 12-hour depot repair service on these systems. A three-year limited warranty is standard. IBM also unveiled mobile options to expand the functionality of the new 770Z...
- ...disk drive storage options available to ThinkPad customers. For added convenience, users can choose to **configure** their ThinkPads with the new drives at point of purchase. The new drives are equipped...
- ...ThinkPad 600E models ensures continual performance while working remotely. For more information on IBM Asset ID technology, visit http://www.ibm.com/pc/us/infobrf/assetidor http://www.ibm.com/pc...

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- ...7 November 1994-NEW IBM THINKPADS PACK POWERFUL MULTIMEDIA AND GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS INTO A MOBILE COMPUTER (C)1994 M2 COMMUNICATIONS LTD RDATE: 171094 Built-in CD-ROM and telephone Putting more flexibility and choice into the hands and briefcases of mobile computer users, IBM Corporation today announced new models of IBM ThinkPad* systems, the industry's most...
- ...and support, sporting technical support through IBM Helpware* and up to a three year international warranty service. "The IBM ThinkPad has leadership technology, impeccable quality and award- winning design which makes it the most desirable mobile computer on the market," said Gary Milner, marketing Manager of mobile computing. "Today's announcement clearly reaffirms ThinkPad's reputation as the mobile computer that everyone would want to own. Our emphasis is on higher performance, advanced function and solutions". The ThinkPad 755CD is a unique, innovative mobile multimedia solution with a built-in, full-sized CD-ROM, stereo speakers, enhanced...
- ...and 810 millionbytes (MB), and an integrated math co-processor that makes intensive spreadsheet of **computer**-aided design applications a lot faster. A complete solution With exclusive IBM technology, the ThinkPad
- ...and 755CD are packed with important features, such as: * a fully-functional and expandable Mwave* **Digital Signal** Processor (DSP), which provides built-in, high-speed data/fax modem (subject to country-PTT...
- ...IRDA (Infrared Data Association) standards, whilst offering a ten times enhancement in data transfer. * an **upgrade** of IBM's acclaimed keyboard-based, pressure-sensitive pointing device, the TrackPoint III* -- now with...
- ...enhancement to the ThinkPad modular floppy disk drive bay, featuring an

intelligent bus that automatically **configures** itself to accept options such as PCMCIA cartridge. Multiultimedia Ready The IBM ThinkPad 755CD integrates...machine. However, even without docking stations, the new ThinkPads are easily used as a primary **computer** system. Plug and Play Ease Achieving Plug and Play simplicity is easy when using the Thinkpad system's Personal **Computer** Memory card inter -national Association (PCMCIA) slots. All ThinkPads are preloaded with the IBM PC Card Director* utility, which automatically **configures** many PCMCIA cards and automates the launches of applications. PC Card Director also gives the...

- ...and growth flexibility of industry-standard PCMCIA slots. IBM ThinkPad 360 and 755 Series are **configured** with a Type III slot, capable of hawing one Type III or two Type I or II cards. In addition, users of the new ThinkPad 755 models can increase the **number** of available PCMCIA slots with a new option, the ThinkPad PCMCIA Cartridge, like previous ThinkPad...
- ...Service and Support The new Thinkpad 755 models come with a three-year international limited warranty service, honoured wherever IBM or IBM remarketers sell and/or service IBM PC products, currently...
- ...the x86 architecture in August 1981 and helped to spawn the @ti-billion dollar personal **computer** industry. Today, the company develops, manufactures, markets and distributes a variety of PCs -- from subnotebooks